

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Tuesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Westerly winds, generally fair and cooler at night.
Lower Mainland—Westerly winds, generally fair and cooler.

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NO MEETINGS TO-NIGHT

All engagements are cancelled owing to prohibitory Order-in-Council against public assemblies.

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Victoria Daily Times

BERLIN SENDS REPLY TO PRESIDENT WILSON

ALLIES HAMMER AHEAD IN BELGIUM AND BRITISH DRIVE IN NORTHERN FRANCE

ALLIES ARE ONLY SEVEN MILES FROM GHENT AND ARE ABOUT TO TAKE AUDENARDE, IMPORTANT TOWN

French Hold Bridgehead on Lys at Grammene; British Crossed Selle River on Wide Front North of Le Cateau Yesterday; Over 3,000 Prisoners

London, Oct. 21.—The French troops on the Allied centre in Belgium have gained a bridgehead across the Lys Canal at Nevele, seven miles west of Ghent.

French troops also have gained a bridgehead over the Lys River at Grammene. The Germans are attempting to hold a line from Eede to the river Lys at Petegem, north of Grammene.

Paris, Oct. 21.—1 p.m.—Allied troops have crossed the Scheldt River at several points in the region of Audenarde, fifteen miles southwest of Ghent. Audenarde has been incircled and its fall is expected momentarily. The German resistance is reported to be weakening on that sector of the front.

British Headquarters in Belgium, Oct. 21.—(Reuter's)—In the region east of Courtrai the second British army to-day was advancing on a line of three and one-half miles along the Scheldt River. They had gained this line by a great bound forward Sunday.

London, Oct. 21.—British troops, in smashing through the formidable German positions along the Selle River, north of Le Cateau, in France, forced the Germans from positions of great natural strength on a wide front. The British now hold the heights between the Selle and the Haine Rivers and are in a position to outflank the Mormal Forest and cut the railroad between Valenciennes and Avesnes.

Further north the Allied forces continue their progress through Belgium and French Flanders from Denain to the Dutch frontier. On the north Belgian troops are approaching Ghent, while in the centre British troops are marching on the Scheldt River and outflanking Tournai, an important railway junction. Both towns have been made useless to the Germans.

A Vital Line.
The railroad running through Avesnes is the principal avenue of communication between the German armies north and south of the wedge driven into their line by the Allies. If it is cut, or if it is taken under artillery fire, the enemy will be seriously embarrassed in keeping their two wings of his army in touch with each other.

The bad weather that has prevailed in France during the past few days has not checked the advance of the French along the Oise and Seine Rivers, where successes are reported on the southern side of the Lys salient.

On the southern side of the Lys salient the French have cut a deep notch into the German lines by reaching the heights to the west of Grand Lup.

Champagne.
Throughout the Champagne sector there has been no change in the line, but just west of the Argonne Forest French troops have reached the outskirts of Tonnai-sur-Aisne, north of Vouziers. This seems to be a stroke at Le Chesne, northeast of the Argonne Forest.

The village of Le Chesne is an important highway centre and is on a railroad which runs towards Buzancy behind the front where the German forces are striving to stop the American drive on the line from the Argonne to the Meuse. The American forces apparently are meeting with desperate resistance along the front west of the Meuse. This front is so important to the enemy that he is making a great effort to hold it firmly. Apparently he has succeeded for the time being at least in holding the Americans.

Reports From Haig.
London, Oct. 21.—More than 3,000 prisoners were captured by the British yesterday in their operations north of Le Cateau when the Selle River was crossed on a wide front. Field-Marshal Haig reported to-day.

The German positions were of great natural strength, and were strongly held, and there was heavy fighting during the day. The weather was unfavorable, and the river was in flood, but the British troops forced a passage of the river early in the fighting by the use of tanks.

Valenciennes Region.
In the Valenciennes region, British troops are approaching St. Amand, six miles northwest of Valenciennes. North of Tournai they are pushing forward to the line of the Scheldt River.

The statement reads:
"The number of prisoners captured by us in the operations yesterday north of Le Cateau exceeds 3,000. The enemy positions along the River Selle

Spanish Government Steamship Sent Down

Madrid, Oct. 21.—(Havas).—The steamship *María*, which had been requisitioned by the Spanish Government, has been torpedoed by a German submarine, the *Epoca* says. The vessel was bound for Spain to transport phosphates to Spain.

WITH ONE WEEK BEFORE DRIVE STARTS SPIRIT OF VICTORY LOAN IS RAMPANT

The barrage of Victory Loan publicity which is now being poured upon the whole country will be intensified during this week into such a bombardment of appeal, reason, and argument, that hardly any self-respecting citizen in the community will remain unaffected by the withering blast. For on Monday the drive for funds to finance victory begins in real earnest, with the launching of the greatest loan ever floated in Canada.

With but one more week to break down the barriers of indifference the local officials are putting forth every effort to leave no channel of publicity clogged, before the big attack commences next week. The Victory spirit, as a result, is beginning to permeate the city, travelling faster, and further afield, than the chief enemy of the campaign, the dreaded "flu." People are talking of the loan, planning to give bonds for Christmas presents. Business concerns are figuring on donating yearly bonuses in terms of Victory, and prosaic people all over the city are seeking inspiration to write a loan slogan for the competition now proceeding.

The nation-wide enthusiasm, which reaches its greatest height, of course, in large centres, nevertheless is spreading all through the sparsely-populated districts. A veritable wave of victory, say the officials, is sweeping over the land, and swamping the stronghold of apathy and indifference to the needs of Canada and the Allies.

Returning from up the Island G. H. Dawson and Frederick McGregor, officials for the Loan Committee, report the ground all clear for the attack a week from to-day. Cobble Hill and Shawanigan Lake are sure that the necessary donors can be got in the ground is properly covered, and have requested that salesmen be dispatched from Victoria to canvass the districts. Arrangements will be made to meet the first day of the campaign.

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WEATHER BAD BUT FORCES PUSHED ON

Allied Forces Continued to Put Germans Out of Occupied Areas Yesterday

Paris, Oct. 21.—The Allied forces, while pushing farther into Central Belgium on the north, are fighting their way forward on the south toward the Belgian border south of Valenciennes.

The right flank of the Allied forces, as well as the Germans, is drizzled continuously and the soldiers were soaked and blinded by the rain and the aeroplanes were of little use. With spirits undamped, the Allied troops continued their efforts and in Flanders they got a little nearer to the important city of Ghent and continued until they approached very close to the west bank of the Scheldt. On the right of the front in Belgium the British Fifth Army has to all intents and purposes taken Tournai, an important railway junction.

Across Selle.
Further south the British Third Army has crossed the Selle and is headed toward Mons by way of Quenoy and north of the Mormal Forest, while General Rawlinson's Fourth Army has reached the Sambre-Oise Canal and is advancing around the southern end of the Mormal Forest up the valley of the Sambre toward Maubeuge. The net result of the efforts of the British Fourth and Fifth Armies was that the pivot on which the German retreat across Belgium swings was badly shaken. The British also captured a dozen or so villages.

On the British right General Debeney's forces are outflanking Guise and marching toward Hirson, for the purpose of taking the Hunting Line in the rear. At the same time the forces of Generals Mangin and Guillaumat, between the Serre and the Aisne and north of Sissonne are attacking the front of the Hunting Line.

Finally, General Gouraud's and the American forces are fighting in most difficult country against the determined and strong resistance of the enemy. They are making slow but solid progress in the task of pushing the enemy toward the southern Ardennes and up both banks of the Meuse.

Paris, Oct. 21.—A steady downpour of rain marred the opening of the fête here yesterday to celebrate the recent Allied victories but the heavy skies did not prevent crowds from coming to view the captured guns, aeroplanes and other material. The crowds were allowed to handle the machinery in accordance with Premier Clemenceau's wish, expressed as follows: "Let everybody see them. Let them touch them. Let them carry them off. I have plenty more in stock."

More than 1,500 captured cannon lined the thoroughfare from the Alexander Bridge to the Place de La Concorde. The place is filled with Gothic and other aeroplanes. Captured German tanks face the entrance to the Tuilleries Gardens.

GERMANY WANTS ARMISTICE AND EVACUATION ARRANGED AND STOPS TORPEDOING PASSENGER VESSELS

PRES. WESBROOK DIES AT VANCOUVER

Head of University of British Columbia Had Distinguished Career

Vancouver, Oct. 21.—Falling to rally from an acute attack of an ailment from which he had been suffering for almost a year, Dr. Frank Westbrook, President of the University of British Columbia, passed away at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. His decline had been rapid since February, when he was no longer able to carry on his duties as President. After a two-months' trip to California in the spring he again attempted to resume his place at the university in June, but was forced to relinquish his work, and became gradually worse until the end came after an exceptionally severe attack.

He leaves besides his wife, resident here, one daughter, Miss Helen Westbrook, who is now in her senior year in arts at the University of British Columbia. A brother, Donald MacB. Westbrook, resides in Duluth.

In the passing of Dr. Westbrook, Vancouver loses one of its most prominent and respected citizens, while the educational life of the country suffers a setback, the extent of which it is hard to calculate. Dr. Westbrook came here from Minnesota five years ago to take charge of the branch of McGill University from 1912 to 1919, later he was elected President of the University of B. C. when it became a separate institution.

His Training.
He was born at Brant, County Brant, Ont., on July 14, 1854, and was therefore 64 years of age. He was the son of H. S. Westbrook, formerly Mayor of Winnipeg. His early education was obtained in the public schools of London, Ont., and Winnipeg. He was made a Bachelor of Arts of the University of Manitoba in 1887, and given the degrees of M.A., M.D. and C.M. in 1894. Immediately after graduation from the Manitoba University he was given the Chair of Pathology, which he held for about a year. He also studied at McGill University. Leaving Canada, he went to England, where he became a John Lucas Walker Fellow at Caius College, Cambridge, and was a student in this university from 1892 to 1893 in the pathology and bacteriologist laboratories. Afterwards he was attached to St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London, and the Rotunda Hospital in Dublin. He studied extensively at large hospitals in Germany. He married in April, 1896, in Winnipeg, a daughter of Sir Thomas W. Taylor, late Chief Justice of Manitoba.

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Resolution in U. S. Senate Insists Enemy Surrender Completely

Washington, Oct. 21.—Senator Poinsett, of Washington, a Republican, introduced a joint resolution to-day proposing that Congress forbid further negotiations by the United States Government with the German Government looking to the granting of an armistice or peace until the German military forces have surrendered unconditionally. It was referred to the Foreign Relations Committee.

Hungary to Have Economic Freedom and Her Own Army

Amsterdam, Oct. 21.—Emperor Charles will shortly issue a manifesto to the Hungarian people announcing the independence of Hungary, according to the Budapest correspondent of The Rhenish Westphalian Gazette.

Hungary, the manifesto will say, is to have economic independence and will maintain her own army and her own diplomatic corps.

GOATS DUTY FREE.
Ottawa, Oct. 21.—Until February 7 next goats for breeding purposes will be admitted free of duty when imported by bona fide residents of Canada.

INFLUENZA IN MONTANA.
Helena, Mont., Oct. 21.—Six deaths and sixteen new cases of influenza were reported here Sunday.

Berlin's Idea Is to Have Neutrals Investigate Atrocities on Land and Sea; Claim Is Made New Government Is Responsible to Reichstag

London, Oct. 21.—The German reply to President Wilson's note, the text of which was received here to-day by wireless, says Germany hopes the United States will approve of no demand which would be irreconcilable with the honor of the German people and with the opening of the way to a peace of justice.

Announcement is made of a fundamental change in the German constitution, providing for representation of the people in the decisions concerning peace and war, and it is stated the present Government has been formed in complete accordance therewith.

Germany claims the sanction of international law for carrying out destruction of property during retreats and says her troops are under strict instructions to spare private property and care for the people to the best of their ability. Where transgressions occur, the note says, the guilty are being punished.

Germany has dispatched orders to submarine commanders precluding the torpedoing of passenger ships. No future Government will take or hold office unless it possesses the confidence of a majority of the Reichstag, the note claims.

Germany has agreed that conditions of an armistice should be left to the military advisers and that the actual standard of power on both sides in the field should form the basis for arrangements.

The text of the German note as received here by wireless is as follows: "In accepting the proposal for an evacuation of occupied territories, the German Government has started from the assumption that the procedure of this evacuation and of the conditions of an armistice should be left to the judgment of the military advisers and that the actual standard of power on both sides in the field has to form the basis for arrangements safeguarding and guaranteeing this standard."

The German Government suggests to the President that an opportunity should be brought about for fixing the details. It trusts that the President of the United States will approve of no demand which would be irreconcilable with the honor of the German people and with opening a way to a peace of justice.

The German Government protests against the reproach of illegal and inhuman actions made against the German land and sea forces and thereby against the German people. In the covering of a retreat destructions will always be necessary, and they are carried out insofar as is permitted by international law. The German troops are under most strict instructions to spare private property and to exercise care for the population to the best of their ability. Where transgressions occur in spite of these instructions the guilty are being punished.

Investigation.
The German Government further denies that the German navy in sinking ships has ever purposely destroyed lifeboats with their passengers. The German Government proposes with regard to all these charges that the fact be cleared up by neutral commissions.

"In order to avoid anything that might hamper the work of peace, the German Government has caused orders to be dispatched to all its submarine commanders precluding the torpedoing of passenger ships without, however, for technical reasons, being able to guarantee that these orders will reach every single submarine at sea before its return."

New Government.
"As a fundamental condition for peace, the President of the United States prescribes the destruction of every arbitrary power that can separately, secretly and of its own single choice disturb the peace of the world. To this the German Government replies: "Hitherto the representation of the people in the German Empire has not been endowed with any influence on the formation of the Government. The constitution has not provided for a concurrence of representation of the people in decisions of peace and war. These conditions have just now undergone a fundamental change. A new Government has been formed in complete accordance with the wishes (principle) of the representation of the people, based on an equal, universal, secret, direct franchise. The leaders of the great parties of the Reichstag are members of this Government. In the future no Government can take or continue in office without possessing the confidence of a majority of the Reichstag."

The responsibility of the change-

lor of the Empire to the representation of the people is being legally developed and safeguarded. The first act of the new Government has been to lay before the Reichstag a bill to alter the constitution of the empire so that the consent of the representation of the people is required for decisions on war and peace.

The permanence of the new system is, however, guaranteed not only by constitutional safeguards, but also by the unshakable determination of the German people whose vast majority stands behind these reforms and demands their energetic continuance.

NO COMMENT YET BY U. S. OFFICIALS

President's Attitude Undisclosed Until Official Text of German Note Arrives

Washington, Oct. 21.—A wireless version of the German reply to President Wilson reached the State Department to-day. There will be no official comment until the official text is received.

The note as received by wireless is regarded here as an awkward attempt to accept the conditions of an armistice laid down by President Wilson. It is believed to be certain that the wireless version is garbled to some extent, and officials will await the arrival of the official text before reaching conclusions.

In the meantime there will be no official comment. Even unofficially no one will express an opinion of what the President will think of the note, though the general impression seems to be that it at least does not close the door to further exchanges.

Upon the exact language of the official text may depend whether the President will consent to propose an armistice to the Allied Powers. Denials by the Germans that atrocities have been committed are immaterial. The important thing is that atrocities now apparently have been ordered stopped.

As to negotiations for a permanent peace with the German Government as now constituted, that is a question quite aside from a cessation of hostilities under conditions imposed by the Allied commanders in the field. Before such negotiations could be entered into the President and the Allied Governments must be satisfied that the German war lords are powerless to re-assume control, if they now are actually out of control.

Destruction of Douai Resembles Work of a Host of Madmen

With the British Armies in France, Oct. 20.—(Via London, Oct. 21).—(Havas)—Douai in its waste and desolation is a sad sight. The streets are filled with furniture and articles of all kinds. It might be said that in Douai all the insane asylums had been opened and the madmen in their fury had taken delight in destroying everything. The material losses are incalculable.

UNITED STATES LOAN IS OVERSUBSCRIBED

By Several Hundred Millions; Total of Subscribers About 25,000,000

Washington, Oct. 21.—Estimates and figures showing the success of the Fourth Liberty Loan poured into the Treasury to-day, indicating that there were about 25,000,000 subscribers during the campaign which closed Saturday night, and that the \$5,000,000,000 goal was passed by several hundred millions.

All orders for coupon bonds are being filled immediately, and plenty of registered bonds will be ready as fast as requisitions for them, accompanied by the necessary information concerning the individual owners, reach the Treasury.

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CZECHO-SLOVAKS AND SIBERIANS DEFEATED BOLSHIEVICKI TROOPS
Shanghai, Oct. 10 (delayed).—Bolshevik troops advancing toward Ekaterinburg have been severely defeated by Czech-Slovak and Siberian forces. The Bolsheviks lost 1,000 then killed, as well as three armored trains, eleven locomotives and sixty machine guns.

FIGHTING TAKES PLACE AT HOLLAND FRONTIER
Amsterdam, Oct. 20, via London, Oct. 21.—German guards at the frontier post of Maasgraafven, near Waterloovliet, sixteen miles north of Ghent, were repulsed by Entente guards to-day. The post at Sasvent-Ghent, seven miles farther south, was being held by the Germans to-day but they said they were leaving at once.

GERMANS SCUTTLED VESSEL AT OSTEND
Before Leaving They Sank Craft Alongside Vindictive to Block Channel

With the Allied Armies in Belgium, Oct. 20.—Via London, Oct. 21.—(By the Associated Press.)—Before leaving Ostend the Germans scuttled a large mail boat alongside the old British warship Vindictive, which was sunk in the channel there last May. They thus made doubly sure that the channel will be blocked for some time. Inspection of the city shows that British shells did terrific damage to enemy military and naval establishments but did not harm the residential or business sections to any extent. The only money found in Ostend and other liberated Belgian cities is German.

Many of the smaller children, especially in Ostend, use German as their own language. The enemy apparently went out of his way to teach his tongue to these children.

FRENCH REPORTED TO WANT CONSCRIPTION SCHEME IN IRELAND

Dublin, Oct. 21.—Field-Marshal French, Lord Lieutenant and Governor-General of Ireland, has gone to London to submit his views to the Cabinet on the Government's failure to enforce conscription in Ireland. It is understood that he will resign if a satisfactory arrangement is not reached.

INFLUENZA AT SPOKANE.

Spokane, Oct. 21.—Two deaths from influenza and eleven new cases of the disease were reported here Sunday. Several hundred women worked all day Sunday under the supervision of the surgical dressing department of the local Red Cross chapter to complete a rush order for 1,000 gauze masks for the use of the students army training corps at the University of Idaho, at Moscow.

SIXTY-SEVEN WERE TAKEN IN TORONTO
Bolshevikism Charged Against Group of Men Put Under Arrest

Toronto, Oct. 21.—One of the biggest onslaughts upon alleged Bolshevism in this city was made by the police on Saturday night and Sunday afternoon, when forty-four members of the Chinese Nationalist League and twenty-three members of the Social Democratic Party of Canada, the Democratic Party of North America, the Russian Social - Revolutionary Party, the Ukrainian Socialist Party and the Finnish Socialist Party were arrested on a blanket charge of being in unlawful assembly. Prominent among the ring-leaders taken into custody is Isaac Bainbridge, secretary of the Social Democratic Party of Canada, who has been in trouble on sedition charges on previous occasions.

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Oct. 21.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.
Killed in action—Pte. A. J. Chisholm, Big Bar Creek, B. C.; Corp. T. S. Palmer, Vancouver; Pte. J. A. MacCush, Victoria; Pte. W. J. O'Brien, Toronto.
Died of wounds—Lieut. M. M. Wilson, Chatham, Ont.; Lieut. W. H. Mackay, Brockville, Ont.; Lieut. J. G. Souter, M. M. Scotland, Lieut. D. Richmond, England; Pte. A. A. Gibbard, Mission Junction, B. C.; Pte. D. Haggie, South Vancouver.
Wounded—Pte. R. T. Venna, Victoria; Lance-Corp. W. J. Trima, Vancouver; Pte. R. L. Trimmell, Vancouver; Pte. N. Tomkinson, Victoria; Pte. G. McDonald, Vancouver; Pte. D. Marshall, Vancouver; Pte. H. E. Kemp, White Rock, B. C.; Lieut. C. D. Anderson, Montreal; Lieut. A. M. Edwards, Scotland; Lieut. T. T. Boyd, Abbotsford, B. C.; Capt. H. R. Williams, Hamilton, Ont.; Lieut. R. C. Rowland, Walkerton, Ont.; Major B. O. Hooper, M. C. Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. T. C. C. Mahon, Vancouver; Pte. M. Erikson, New Westminster; Lieut. H. A. Palmer, Stratford, Ont.; Pte. J. F. Thompson, New Westminster; Pte. E. G. Parry, Vancouver; Major J. D. Simpson, M. C. Toronto; Lieut. J. A. Perry, M. C. Edmonton; Pte. E. Heritage, Tappan, B. C.; Pte. J. R. Dobson, Nanaimo; Lieut. K. K. Muttus, Truro, N. S.; Pte. J. W. R. Chisholm, Big Bar Creek, B. C.; Pte. W. Wright, Esquimalt; Pte. W. Menzies, Vancouver; Pte. C. F. Crutcher, Nanaimo; Pte. C. C. Davis, Vancouver; Pte. W. W. Cottingsham, Golden, B. C.
Ill—Lieut. S. W. Thurber, M. C. Freeport, N. S.

Artillery.
Killed in action—Lieut. C. D. Shreve, M. C. Digby, N. S.
Died of wounds—Lieut. R. D. McMillan, Sydney Mines, N. S.
Wounded—Capt. R. F. Craig, Brockville, Ont.; Lieut. J. Davidson, New Westminster; Lieut. A. R. Adams, Sarnia, Ont.; Lieut. W. Nesbitt, Woodstock, Ont.; Gnr. E. A. Wootton, Victoria.

Royal Air Forces.
Died—Lieut. J. W. Price, Moncton, N. B.

Engineers.
Died—Sapper R. G. Stevens, Vancouver; Sapper A. R. MacLachlan, Victoria; Sapper H. Deacon, Cranbrook, B. C.
Missing—Lieut. (Acting Captain) G. R. Field, Wilkie, Sask.
Mounted Rifles.
Interned in Holland—Capt. A. F. Crossman, England.
Wounded—Lieut. G. B. Ince, England; Capt. J. MacGregor, M. C. D. C. M. Scotland; Pte. T. V. Malesy, Revelstoke.

Cavalry.
Killed in action—Lieut. Col. C. T. Van Straubenzie, England.
Machine Guns.
Killed in action—Sergeant D. E. Crozier, Vancouver.
Died of wounds—Sergeant R. Love, M. Pritchard, B. C.

Infantry.
Killed in action—Lieut. C. I. Giles, M. M. Toronto; Pte. W. F. Pellick, Vancouver; Pte. A. Goddard, Vancouver; Sergeant A. Ross, M. M. Vancouver; Corp. G. D. McCurdy, Similkameen; Pte. T. Morton, Vancouver; Pte. F. A. Bastedo, Vancouver; Pte. H. C. Hunter, Armstrong; Pte. H. S. Bothwell, Cranbrook; Lieut. E. E. Bouchette, Ottawa.
Died of wounds—Corp. R. D. Black, Vancouver; Pte. W. Bryce, Kerrisdale. Accidentally killed—Lieut. G. Trotter, Ireland.
Died—Pte. A. Lawrence, Lumby, B. C.
Wounded and missing; believed prisoners of war—Pte. H. Lane, Nelson; Pte. C. L. Derran, Vancouver.
Repatriated—Capt. R. McKessock, Toronto.

Artillery.
Wounded—Gnr. F. S. Green, Victoria; Corp. M. J. Green, Semones, B. C.; Gnr. F. W. Wall, Vancouver.
Mounted Rifles.
Killed in action—Pte. G. F. Marshall, Vancouver.
Wounded—Pte. L. A. Rines, Vancouver.

Machine Guns.
Killed in action—Lieut. D. Livingstone, Blackrock, N. S.
Wounded—Lieut. R. H. Foulds, Winnipeg; Lieut. J. J. Murray, San Diego; Lieut. N. A. Watt, Aymer, Que. Gassed—Pte. Malley, Victoria.

Infantry.
Wounded—Lieut. T. Milford, Corp. Ont.; Lieut. D. Richmond, England; Lieut. E. J. Norfolk, England; Lieut. O. M. Lawton, England; Lieut. N. H. Sutcliffe, England; Lieut. G. N. Payne, Toronto; Lieut. R. B. Murray, Chatham, N. B.; Lieut. R. C. Leech, Regina; Pte. A. T. Penniford, Vancouver; Pte. R. J. Lynn, Vancouver; Pte. A. T. Morrow, New Westminster; Pte. C. A. Gayton, West Summerland; Lance-Corp. T. M. Anderson, M. M. Victoria; Pte. P. A. Jopson, Vancouver; Pte. P. L. Jennings, Victoria; Pte. C. M. Arnold, Vancouver; Pte. H. S. Hooper, Union Bay; Pte. W. G. Phillips, Victoria.
Ill—Pte. D. J. Bell, Chilliwack; Pte. F. Bowman, Vernon.

Engineers.
Died—Sapper J. Cunningham, Nanaimo.
Wounded—Lieut. W. A. Murray, Ottawa; Sapper R. M. McIntyre, Grand Forks, B. C.; Sapper H. C. Penway, Vancouver; Lieut. E. C. Bramwell, England.

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LEON MORANE, FRENCH AEROPLANE-BUILDER, IS DEAD IN PARIS
Paris, Oct. 21.—(Havas)—Leon Morane, the French aviator and aeroplane builder, is dead.
In 1910 Morane earned the reputation of being the leading French aviator. In July of that year he established a new record for speed, and in September ascended 8,471 feet, at that time the greatest height ever attained by an aviator.

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Killed in action—Capt. H. A. Culham, Oakville, Ont.
Ill—Nursing Sister Matilda Ethel Green, Harnsworth, Man.; Lieut. M. A. Cox, Toronto.

NEW CABINET IN TURKEY COMPLETED
Babel, Oct. 20, via London, Oct. 21.—The new Turkish Ministry has been completed as follows: Grand Vizier, Tewfik Pasha; Minister of Foreign Affairs, Refaat Pasha; Minister of Justice, Harre Hayre Effendi; Minister of Public Instruction, Said Bey; Minister of Finance, David Bey; Minister of Public Works, Zaim Pasha; Minister of Supply, Djelal Mukhtar Bey; President of the Council of State, Racid Aki Pasha; Sheikh - Ul - Islam - Houloussi Effendi.

ALLIED OFFICERS IN U. S. BACK TO FRONT
New York, Oct. 21.—Because many American officers incapacitated for service overseas are available as instructors at American cantonnements, preparations are under way to return to Europe all the British, French, Belgian and Italian officers now in the United States who were detailed for this service, according to announcement by members of the British and French Missions. Fifty American officers have arrived here within the last two days.

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SAID DUTCH BORDER HAD BEEN REACHED

Further Successes in Belgium
Reported Last Night by Belgian Headquarters

London, Oct. 21.—A Belgian official report received and issued here last night, said:

"The offensive operations of the armies in Flanders under the command of General Rie continued during Sunday. After attempting to oppose our advance on the west bank of the Lys River, the Germans were obliged to retreat along the whole front."

"The Belgian army is standing along the canal with its left resting on the Dutch frontier."

"The French army in Belgium has not only driven beyond the Lys the enemy's rearwards, but has even crossed that river and established two bridgeheads, one between Gramme and Peteghem and the other at Oughem."

"The British Second Army, overcoming violent resistance, crossed the Lys along its whole front and has reached on the right the western outskirts of Pecq, in the valley of the Scheldt."

Drove Forward.

With the Allied Armies in France and Belgium, Oct. 20.—Via London, Oct. 21.—The British army launched its attack to-day in conjunction with the Belgian forces to the north. The combined forces fought their way to the east of St. Amand and reached Vichte, lying northeast of Courtrai, and still are pushing on rapidly.

Anglo-Belgian troops also are north-east of Deserch, Spruete and Stratte. The Third Army in its attack had captured by early afternoon nearly a thousand prisoners.

While the Belgians, French and British were driving the Germans rapidly to the east in the direction of Ghent, which is being approached both from the east and southeast, the British Third Army, attacking at two places, smashed its way eastward to the south of Valenciennes. The success of this operation, which this (Sunday) evening seems assured, means the turning of the Valenciennes line and endangers all the German forces northward to

Flanders and southward to the Oise Canal, behind which the Germans have begun to retreat before other British forces and American troops. This thrust will serve to upset the known German plan of trying to hold the line east of the Scheldt Canal, to which the enemy is retreating hastily from what once was the Lille salient.

Ghent.

Reports from the battlefield in Flanders indicate that Ghent will be soon taken. Already the Allied guns are hammering the Germans on all sides, and cyclists and cavalry patrols are sweeping ahead in front of the infantry, drawing closer and closer.

The Germans were driven from the northeast coast of Flanders much sooner than they expected, for captured orders show that they intended to hold the line of Zebrugge-Bruges-Thielt, but were unable to resist the terrific Allied pressure.

Thousands of civilians have been liberated by the Belgians and French and masses of booty which the Germans had no time to carry away fell into the Allies' hands.

It is considered quite possible that the Germans will try to make several successive stands in Belgium, and one line of resistance undoubtedly will comprise Antwerp, Brussels and Namur, on which much work is being done. At the same time it is worth noting that the Germans are laboring frantically on the preparation of a defensive line on their own frontier, especially in the region of Aix-la-Chapelle and Liege.

250 NEW INFLUENZA CASES AT BUTTE

Butte, Mont., Oct. 21.—Eighteen persons died here Sunday of Spanish influenza, and 250 new cases were reported. The deaths since October 1 have totaled seventy-three. Commercial establishments and business houses may be closed by the order of the health authorities, it was declared.

MALINOFF, BULGARIAN PREMIER, OUTLINES HIS POLICY IN CHAMBER

Rasol, Oct. 20.—Via London, Oct. 21.—M. Malinoff, the new Bulgarian Premier, outlined the programme of the new Government in the Sobranje yesterday. He announced it as his purpose to pacify the country, stabilize the regime and create conditions which will permit realization of Bulgaria's democratic aspirations.

General Theodoreff, the new Foreign Minister, gave a detailed explanation of his policy.

ESCAPED AND IS ON WAY TO VANCOUVER

Pte. H. Batchelor, of Canadian Army, Was Prisoner in Germany

An Atlantic Port of Canada, Oct. 21.—Escaping after ten months' confinement in German prison camps by a daring leap from a moving train and a 125-mile pilgrimage at night across Westphalia into Holland, Pte. Herbert Batchelor, of the 48th Canadian Highlanders, arrived here to-night on his way to his home in Vancouver.

Batchelor, who has service medals for the Boer War and the Zulu Rebellion of 1905, said he and several companions on a sapping operation were captured after they had dug themselves out of a sap which the Germans had blown up.

During his entire confinement in Germany, he said, he did not taste meat, subsisting on black bread, acorn coffee and "soup that a hog wouldn't eat." Many of his fellow prisoners died from hunger and overwork, and he had dwindled from 185 to 136 pounds, when he finally escaped.

576 INFLUENZA CASES AT MISSOULA, MONT.

Missoula, Mont., Oct. 21.—Three deaths from influenza in Missoula and additional cases of scarlet fever at the state university here were reported Sunday. The deaths from the influenza now total twenty-seven. Thirty-two new cases were reported Sunday, bringing the total up to 576 since the outbreak. Eight cases of scarlet fever have been found among the men of the student army training corps.

TWO U. S. SOLDIERS DIED.

Astoria, Ore., Oct. 21.—Two soldiers died at the post hospital in Fort Stevens Saturday night from bronchial pneumonia. They were Glen Swalley, aged nineteen, of Reedville, Wash., and George J. Kerian, aged twenty-two, of North Dakota. The remains will be shipped to the respective homes of the deceased for interment.

LIBERATED TOWNS HELD CELEBRATIONS

Roubaix and Tourcoing Yesterday Rejoiced Over Deliverance From Enemy

With the British Army in France, Oct. 20.—Via London, Oct. 21.—Roubaix and Tourcoing to-day celebrated their deliverance from the enemy. The people of the two cities were wild with joy. There were kisses, hugs and handshakes for every British soldier.

There was good reason for Roubaix and Tourcoing to celebrate. The swashbuckling Germans had gone, though they left in their wake as much ruin as they could do. Nearly every home in the city had been sacked and things that could not be carried away had been destroyed.

Piqued at being forced to leave the towns, the Germans went to extreme lengths to defile, destroy and steal. Roubaix and Tourcoing were systematically burglarized. In Roubaix the Germans cut fine leather seats from chairs, ripped pictures from their frames, and even took the cloth coverings of mattresses. Apparently they went through the fine old homes of the city with the idea of seeing how thoroughly they could wreck the interiors.

In many places they deliberately broke up everything they could lay their hands on.

For miles around Roubaix and Tourcoing the countryside has been sieged and scorched by the red heat of war. Broken cannon, rusted rifles, pieces of shell, barbed wire and bayonets and other equipment of soldiers are scattered all about. There are miles of mangled fields where the shell craters are so thick that it is impossible to tell where one begins and the other leaves off. Here and there are old machine gun mounds of stone, concrete and dirt. The trees are leafless and many have been chewed to pieces by flying shells and bullets.

DEPOSITS OF CHROME

ORE TO BE DEVELOPED

War Trade Board Authorized to Operate Mines in Canada

Ottawa, Oct. 21.—Under the terms of a recent Order-in-Council, the War Trade Board is authorized to take possession of and operate for a period of five years, if necessary, any mines or properties in Canada which are producing chrome ore, or have produced it in the past. The step has been taken by the Government because of war conditions and more particularly because the lack of shipping has created a serious shortage of chrome ore for the essential requirements of Canada and the other Allied countries. Comparatively extensive deposits of such ore exist in Canada, and it is the intention of the War Trade Board to have these developed to meet the shortage. In the event of the War Trade Board and the owners of mining properties being unable to come to terms as to the amount of compensation to be paid, the matter may be referred to the Exchequer Court for adjustment.

AUSTRALIAN POSTAGE HAS BEEN INCREASED

Melbourne, Oct. 21.—Parliament has passed a bill increasing the postage on letters and newspaper packages by a half-penny.

The time for closing the war loan has been extended to October 23 to satisfy many municipalities which were desirous of making up their quotas.

The French mission which has been touring Australia is in Tasmania, where it was given an enthusiastic reception.

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DEATH SENTENCE OF HAPSBURG DICTATORS

Paris Newspapers Comment on President Wilson's Note to Austria

Paris, Oct. 21.—The Paris newspapers, commenting on President Wilson's note to Austria, are unanimous in expressing the belief that the President's reply is a refusal of the Austro-Hungarian proposal, but is clearly in conformity with the principle of the right of nationalities to self-determination and frustrates the attempt of Austrian diplomacy to escape from its present situation by a compromise with President Wilson's principles.

The reply, the newspapers say, pronounced the death sentence on the Hapsburg dictators. Several of the newspapers invite the various nationalities to rebuild on the ruins of the crumbling state.

The Temps says: "President Wilson's refusal is an historic event. No problem of this war is graver than the Austro-Hungarian question. On the solution it receives depends the security of our country, the future of Europe and the peace of the world. President Wilson lays aside at the outset all solutions previously suggested, and gives his word to the people directly. No one hereafter can withdraw it from them."

GERMANS LOSE USE OF BIG AERODROMES

Also Lose Use of Naval Bases on the Belgian Coast

London, Oct. 21.—In withdrawing from Flanders and the Belgian coast the Germans not only gave up their submarine bases, but also left behind immense aerodromes. Before the enemy retirement, northern Belgium might have been known as the home of the Gotha. By moving eastward the Germans have lost the points nearest to England from which they used to carry out raids upon London and other English towns. Hereafter, it is believed, the Germans will find it increasingly difficult to make air raids upon London.

The evacuation of Ostend and Zebrugge will make easier the work of the British navy in keeping the English Channel clear of submarines. The Germans also have been forced to remove their torpedo boats from these bases.

TRAFALGAR DAY IS OBSERVED IN BRITAIN

Messages From State, Army and Navy Leaders to Navy League

London, Oct. 21.—On the occasion of the annual celebration of Nelson Day, the Navy League has received messages from leading public men.

"On the courage, skill and endurance of the British seamen depend and always have depended the issues of the great war," wrote Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Admiral Sir David Beatty said: "On this anniversary of the triumphant establishment of British supremacy the Grand Fleet sends greetings to the Navy League."

A message from Sir Douglas Haig, Commander-in-Chief of the British armies in France, read: "The heart of everyone in the British army goes out with mine to all officers and men of the Royal Navy and the mercantile marine. Words fail me to express

adequately our gratitude and admiration for our comrades of the sister service. Thanks to their triumphant efforts, we remain mistress of the seas, and supplies of all kinds, not merely for our vast Empire, but also for our allies, have never for a moment ceased to flow."

Admiral Viscount Jellicoe wrote: "It was sea power alone that has made it possible to bring to and maintain in the main theatre of the war on the Western front that great United States army, which has turned the scale of battle. It was sea power also that has made possible the recent great victories in Palestine and Macedonia."

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DR. WESBROOK.

The death of Dr. F. F. Wesbrook, President of the University of British Columbia, which occurred yesterday afternoon will be widely regretted. During his five years' residence Dr. Wesbrook had become an important factor in the life and development of the Province, not only in regard to education but in connection with other matters of public concern.

He will be best remembered, however, for his fine services as the first head of the Provincial University. To this work he gave the best that was in him and shortened his life by doing so. He had formidable obstacles to surmount. Financial difficulties and numerous other disabilities incidental to the establishment of a university in a country of limited population, called for all his fertile resources, splendid organizing ability and business acumen. The war imposed upon him another heavy handicap.

But these discouragements only fired Dr. Wesbrook's enthusiasm and energy. He had been through some of the same difficulties in his connection with the University of Minnesota, where he had won a high place among the university executives of the continent, and had seen the institution finally develop into a potent factor for the welfare of the state. He anticipated the same outcome for the University of British Columbia and nothing could obscure that vision.

Dr. Wesbrook was an educationist of broad and liberal views, with a keen appreciation of the ever-changing educational needs of the times. He was quick to realize the part the university should play in connection with the returned soldier problem and with characteristic energy and foresight had organized branches of university instruction of a practical nature for the returned men.

In time, if he had lived, he would have developed a university in British Columbia which could have challenged comparison with any other institution of its kind in Canada. As it is, he leaves an enduring monument in a foundation well and truly laid. He will be greatly missed, not only on account of his ability, but for his attractive personality, never-failing courtesy and geniality and infectious enthusiasm.

TRAFALGAR AND SEA POWER.

On this day, 113 years ago, Napoleon's scheme of world conquest was doomed and the eventual extinction of himself and his dynasty was assured. Seven years were to elapse before Waterloo would terminate his dazzling military career; Austerlitz, Jena, Auerstadt, Eckmühl, Friedland, Aspern, Dresden and Wagram and many other brilliant victories were yet to appal his foes; he was yet to dictate terms of peace in the capitals of Prussia and Austria and there were few statesmen in the alliance opposed to him who realized that Trafalgar had made his final overthrow certain. Pitt, his persistent, indomitable enemy, who had organized coalition after coalition against him, who, when one grand combination was shattered by some Napoleonic masterpiece, patiently set up another, thought he saw in the great victory of Austerlitz, six weeks after Trafalgar, the ruin of all his hopes and the doom of the British Empire. "Roll up the map; oh, my country!" he exclaimed, and sank to his death under the blow.

But, in spite of Austerlitz and the long series of remarkable victories won by Napoleon after it, in spite of the fact that the son of the obscure Corsican attorney now was master of continental Europe, with the Grand Alliance smashed and at his feet, he actually was beaten. The battle of Trafalgar proved a more determining factor in his destiny than all the achievements of his genius on land. It not only limited the scope of his conquests, but it made the retention of their spoils impossible beyond a comparatively brief period. Possibly he alone among the leaders of Europe knew it; knew that unless he could bring Great Britain to her knees his hopes were blasted. He had made numerous attempts to conciliate her and even to form an alliance with her after conquering her allies. At one time he lured her into an armistice and a peace, under cover of which he prepared for further aggression. But he eventually realized that the only way to keep her off his back was to conquer her and that to do this he had to destroy her navy. He regarded Britain as the most formidable of his foes because of her sea power, her economic strength and her invincible determination; she was not, of course, a factor in military operations on land in the sense that Austria, Prussia or Russia was.

Unlike the German leaders in the present war Napoleon saw clearly that unless his navy was used for the purpose for which it was intended, as the complement of the army, it was more of a liability

than an asset. And he used it for that purpose for all it was worth. He had no illusions as to its prospects when he ordered Villeneuve to engage the British fleet. He had declared time and again that the sea was the Briton's native element and that Nelson was unrivalled there as a commander. Nevertheless, he was ready to take his chance. He lost, and in losing at sea, he lost everywhere.

The decisive influence of sea power in a world war has been demonstrated in the present conflict even more conclusively than it was in the wars of Napoleon. The naval might of Britain has been the foundation of the whole military effort of the Allies. Without it there would have been no victory at the Marne; the war would have been won by the enemy in three months. Every check administered to the Germans since then, every recovery made by the Allies, and every successful offensive following that recovery, has been directly due to the supremacy of the British navy. That navy has been strangling Germany as it strangled Napoleon, with the difference that Napoleon delayed the process by challenging it on numerous occasions, while the "efficient" Germans, although possessing the second navy in the world, have kept it locked up in its bases. Although the German navy cost the German people some \$2,500,000,000, it is the first navy in the history of the world which has not made a solitary serious attempt to promote the military success of its country.

WHAT WILL CANADA DO?

The United States offered \$6,000,000,000 in 4 1/2 per cent. bonds and more than 20,000,000 Americans have taken them up. Canada is offering \$500,000,000 in 5 1/2 per cent. bonds and if a like proportion of Canadians respond more than the total amount required will be forthcoming. Will Canada do it? We think she will. Her people have more money in the savings banks than they ever had before.

The success of the Victory Loan will mean more to Canada than even the satisfactory outcome of the American campaign will mean to the United States, for while both will be used to supply the armies with their needs, a considerable part of Canada's loan will be needed to keep the wheels of Canadian industry going. If we cannot finance British war orders in Canada they must go to the United States. If we cannot finance the export of our surplus products home industry must suffer, this means economic dislocation.

What will Victoria do? Last year our quota was \$2,250,000 and we subscribed \$3,781,375, representing 9,823 subscribers from the city and the surrounding municipalities, described as "Greater Victoria." This year our quota is \$5,000,000 and it is estimated that 15,000 will have to subscribe on last year's basis to raise that total. Victoria is in a better position financially now than she was last year. Her industrial prospects have never been better than they are now. Her patriotism is unquestioned; she never yet has broken faith with her dead in Flanders fields or with her living, now marching east of Cambrai. Vancouver has challenged her to a per capita contest. She cannot afford to fail.

A STRONG FINISH.

Uncle Sam made a whirlwind finish of his fourth Liberty Loan campaign. A week ago the total subscriptions were less than half the amount required, the aggregate by midnight Saturday, October 12, being only \$2,500,000,000. Even up to the last day the total was considerably more than a billion behind, but when the campaign was finished there was every indication that the loan had been oversubscribed. The complete returns will not be available for some time.

As a matter of fact there was no room for doubt that the required total would be forthcoming. The country is too rich, its vast resources too highly organized and its people too proudly patriotic to permit a loan to fail. The loan authorities were not concerned about the total for they knew this would be reached. What they were interested in was the number of subscribers, the real test of the success or failure of a war loan. In this they have every reason for gratification, for it is estimated that 25,000,000 people subscribed to the Fourth Liberty Loan. That is to say, more than one out of every five people in the United States backed the loan. Germany is in a better mood to grasp the significance of this vast showing now than she ever was before. It is a fitting supplement to General March's announcement that more than 2,000,000 American troops are now overseas.

Germany has concentrated the flower of her army in the Champagne and Argonne regions to protect her vital left wing, and her Prussian Guards there are making the most of the natural advantages offered by the country for defensive fighting. Whatever happens elsewhere she must hold that flank, for if she should fail to do so, four-fifths of her army would be caught in a vast Sedan, and the way opened for the Allies to the Rhine through southeastern Belgium and Luxemburg.

FORCE WITH LIGHTNING SPEED.

(Washington Post.)
It is a solemn, splendid, glorious duty that lies before the United States. Let it be performed with speed! Let the avenging stroke be delivered with lightning swiftness and overwhelming force! Let every American ignite his soul at the altar fires of liberty and pray that his vision may be enlarged to see the majesty of his nation's cause!

ALLIES ARE ONLY SEVEN MILES FROM GHENT AND ARE ABOUT TO TAKE TOWN OF AUDENARDE

(Continued from page 1.)

"North of Denain our advance troops continue to push forward in contact with the enemy, and are approaching the village of St. Amand and the line of the Scheldt north of Tournai."

Continued to Advance.
Field-Marshal Haig reported last night:

"The advance of the army groups in Flanders, under command of King Albert, continued throughout to-day. After vainly trying to arrest our progress toward the western bank of the Lys, along the Deinze-Eecloo Canal, and near the Dutch frontier, the Germans have been forced to withdraw over the whole front."

"The Belgian army has established itself along the canal. Its left flank is on the Dutch frontier and the army has occupied the important centres of Aelst, Adegheem, Helle and Ursel (about ten miles west of Ghent)."

Across Lys.
"French forces have thrown the enemy rearward and over the Lys, and notwithstanding the floods brought about by the Germans, have crossed the river and established bridgeheads. One of these is between Gramme and Feteuse, and another is east of Ouyhem."

"The British Second Army, in spite of strong resistance, and the difficulties arising from communication, has crossed the Lys along the whole of its front and advanced its right flank to the western outskirts of Pecq, in the valley of the Escaut. The line now runs west of Pecq and through St. Leger, Dotignies, Hottelghem, Vichte, Deeflyck and Driessche."

"Since October 14 the Second Army has captured 6,220 prisoners and 169 guns."

On High Ground.
"Having completed the capture of the villages in the river valley and driven the enemy from the town of Solesmes, five and a half miles north of Le Cateau, our troops fought their way forward up the slopes east of the Selle and have established themselves on the high ground overlooking the valley of the Harpies River. Determined opposition was encountered, especially in the vicinity of Solesmes and at the village of St. Pythou. This opposition was overcome after hard fighting and a number of local counter-attacks were repulsed. As a result of this operation we captured more than 2,000 prisoners and some guns."

"Farther north our advanced troops are reported to be within two miles of Tournai, and also to be in touch with the enemy east of the general line of Denain, Bois-des-Ecluses, Landas, Mouchin and Marquis."

Crossed Selle.
Field-Marshal Haig reported yesterday afternoon:

"At an early hour to-day our troops attacked the enemy's positions on the line of the Selle River north of Le Cateau and have crossed the river despite considerable opposition."

Farther north the advance continued yesterday afternoon and last evening. Our troops captured Denain (five miles southwest of Valenciennes) and have reached the general line of Haveluy-Wandres-Hamange-Brillat-Beuvry. The enemy's resistance is increasing on this front."

French Reports.
Paris, Oct. 21.—There was no infantry fighting of moment on the French front last night. The afternoon statement from the War Office reported only artillery activity between the Serre and the Aisne and states that in raids in Lorraine and Alsace French troops captured prisoners."

The statement reads:
"The night was marked by rather heavy artillery activity between the Serre and the Aisne. In Lorraine and Alsace incursions into the German lines enabled French troops to take prisoners."

Got on Heights.
The following official report was issued last night:

"Despite the bad weather we have extended our positions between the Oise and the Serre. East of Verneuil we crossed the Chantrel Brook and gained a footing on the crests to the west of Grandulap. All our gains have been maintained notwithstanding violent attacks."

"East of Vouziers we reached the outskirts of the village of Perren and advanced in the region of Landeven and Palaise, capturing about twenty cannon."

Enemy Foiled.
The following official report was issued yesterday afternoon:

"Late yesterday German troops launched two violent counter-attacks between the Serre and the Aisne, one in the region of Verneuil and the other north of St. Germainmont. Both were repulsed by our troops, who took prisoners."

"During the night the enemy reacted."

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with lively artillery and machine gun fire at different points on the front."

American Front.

Washington, Oct. 21.—The German staff is drawing heavily upon other parts of the Western Front for reinforcements to check the American forces north of Verdun. General Pershing's communique for Sunday says that during the heavy fighting of the past week a constantly increasing number of German divisions has been brought up and the troops are bitterly contesting every inch of ground."

The communique adds: "West of the Meuse our troops have continued their pressure on the enemy. East of Bantheville in the course of local fighting in the Bois des Rappes, they captured over 100 prisoners. On the entire front north of Verdun there has been heavy artillery and machine gun fire. Severe counter-attacks have been thrown back with heavy losses to the enemy."

No Confirmation.

London, Oct. 21.—There is no confirmation of a report from Dutch sources that Allied troops have captured Eecloo, and several thousand prisoners. This is believed to be extremely improbable, as is also the report that the fate of Ghent has been sealed."

INFLUENZA AT PORTLAND.

Portland, Oct. 21.—Six deaths from Spanish influenza were reported here Sunday. At the municipal auditorium, which has been converted into an emergency hospital, 135 cases had been received up to Sunday night. The health authorities said they considered that the situation was in hand, although the hospital accommodations were taxed throughout the city.

DONATIONS FOR SOLDIERS

Willows Camp Chapter, I. O. D. E. Grateful for Contributions; More Fruit Welcomed.

The Willows Camp Chapter, I. O. D. E. wishes to express its most grateful thanks to the Stadacona Hospital and to Mr. Bartholomew for very kindly loaning furniture for the cottage which has been taken by the nurses who are helping to care for the men lying ill at the Willows camp; also to the following who contributed so generously to the recent delicacies shower: Mrs. Crease, Mrs. Sutherland, Mrs. Lawson, Mrs. George Mitchell, Mrs. Fell, Miss Cowley, Mrs. Luxton, Mrs. Proctor, Mrs. Phipps, Mrs. Cochran, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. McFarland, Mrs. Hanes, Mrs. Ash, Mrs. Egan, Mrs. Holly, Mrs. Christie, Mrs. Erb, Hawkins & Hayward, Mrs. Alderson, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Agassiz, Mr. H. A. Smith, Miss Davis, Mrs. Philip B. Darrell, Mrs. J. H. Allan, Miss Tyre, Miss Harris, Miss Neroutson, Miss Taylor, Miss Brown Constable, Miss Hayward, Mrs. Fleming.

Two cash donations of \$5 each were received from friends who wish to remain anonymous, in addition to many other contributions from anonymous donors.

Mrs. Taylor, the regent of the chapter, makes a further appeal to Victorians, as she is anxious to send a weekly contribution to the camp. Any donations may be left at the I. O. D. E. rooms in the Arcade Building between the hours of 10.30 to 10 o'clock, or from 2 till 4 p. m., or they will be called for if Mrs. Taylor is communicated with at phone No. 4187L.

The suggestion has been made that a number of citizens with fruit trees in their gardens would be glad to send the surplus fruit to the Willows, but for the difficulties of gathering the fruit. In such cases the girls of the chapter will willingly pick the fruit for sending to the camp.

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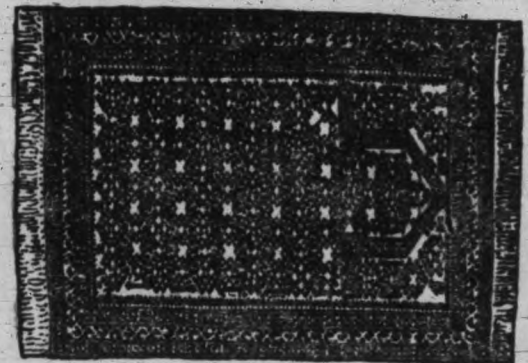
Beginning Monday, October 21, we will sell at prices far below actual value our large stock of Cadillacs, Hudsons, McLaughlins, Studebakers, Hupps, Fords and other cars, comprising the largest and best choice of good used cars ever shown on the Island.

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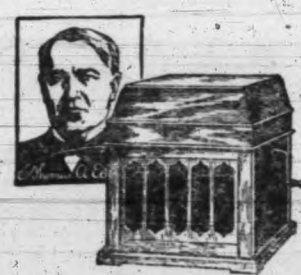
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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, October 20, 1893.

The steam schooner Mischief returned from the West Coast last evening with the American schooner Ohio of Fairfield in tow. The Ohio was seized in Esperanza Inlet on Monday. She will be confiscated and sold at auction.

"The grade of the ore in the Skylark mineral claim on Boundary Creek, B. C. is such, that with silver at the present price, or even lower, money can be made by shipping the ore to Tacoma," said a mining man yesterday. Several times during the existence of the present Council, aldermen have complained that many communications addressed to the Mayor and Aldermen were never read at the meeting of the Council.

TENS OF THOUSANDS OF GREEKS CALLED OFF BY BULGARIANS

Salonica, Oct. 21.—Greeks from Eastern Macedonia who were driven from their homes by the Bulgarians and sent to the neighborhood of Kichevo, Serbia, during the war, are arriving here following their liberation by the Allies. They say that they were forced to construct trenches along the Struma front and were under fire much of the time. Not only the men, but women and children were under shell fire from the artillery at times. After the occupation of Greek

Macedonia, tens of thousands of persons were deported by the Bulgarians and many of them died as a result of their harrowing experiences.

PORTO RICO EARTHQUAKE.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Oct. 21.—Latest estimates of the loss of life in the recent earthquake which struck Porto Rico place the total at not more than 200, mostly at or near Mayaguez. The property damage is estimated at \$5,000,000. Through train service between San Juan and Mayaguez has been resumed.

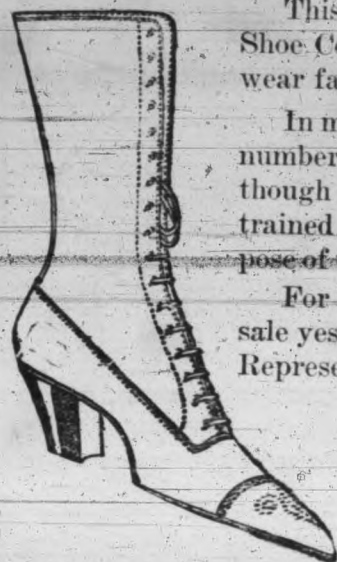
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In making up the new designs for each season it frequently happens that a number of pairs get slightly damaged. These cannot be sold as perfect goods, although the damage might be very slight and practically unnoticeable by an untrained eye. The Queen Quality Company therefore ask their agents to dispose of them as seconds and at a bargain price.

For this offering we had about 120 pairs for disposal. They were placed on sale yesterday for the first time and to-day we expect to clean up the balance. Represented are:

High-Top Lace Boots in finest black kid, field mouse, cafe au lait, grey, chocolate and tobacco brown. Hand turned and welted soles. Also dark brown calf Lace Boots, with welted soles and military heel. Qualities made to sell at \$12.00 to \$18.00. Special Sale price, a pair **\$7.65**

—Women's Footwear, First Floor

"Pollyanna" The Glad Book

By Eleanor Porter. Each at **\$1.50**
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More Flannelette Nightgowns For Children

Just opened up is another lot of good values in Children's Flannelette Nightgowns. Details as follows:

White Flannelette Nightgowns, high or V neck, with long sleeves. Sizes 2 to 12 years. Each **\$1.00**
14 to 16 years. **\$1.25**
White Flannelette Nightgowns, with V neck, trimmed colored stitching on yokes, giving a very neat finish. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Special at. **\$1.25**
Colored Stripe Flannelette Nightgowns, in pink and blue stripes. Made with yoke and V neck, finished with small frill. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Each **\$1.25**
—Children, First Floor

Three Good Styles in Navy Serge Suits Selling Tuesday at \$35.00

—Three styles that will meet the needs of a wide circle of Victoria women. Each model is beautifully tailored and well finished from a fine quality French serge, in navy blue shade. A nice medium weight and a quality that will give good service.

—One model is made in a very smart Norfolk style, finished with stitched straps from shoulders; belt and pockets, satin lined. All sizes.

—Another model is made with a semi-fitting back and straight front without belt. Very smartly bound around all edges with black military braid and finished with two side and two breast pockets. Only one suit of a size in this style. Misses', 14 and 16; women's, 36, 38 and 40.

—The third model features coat with pleated back and large collar. Made to fasten high or low at neck as desired; gauntlet sleeve cuffs and smartly trimmed with buttons. All sizes to 44.

—Particularly attractive and our exclusive value at **\$35.00**
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Hallowe'en Table Cloths, each at **40¢**
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A Large Range of Masquerade Hats and Caps priced, each, **25¢**

—Stationery, Main Floor

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To-day and Tuesday You Can Secure a 93-Piece Dinner Set Worth \$45.00 For Only \$31.50

This is a high-grade set, very neatly decorated with a deep blue band and gold line, known as the "Royal Blue Band and Gold" design. A class of ware that reflects a distinctly good taste and one that any housewife would be proud to own. 93 pieces make up each set, as follows: 12 Cups, 12 Saucers, 12 5-in. Plates, 12 6-in. Plates, 12 8-in. Plates, 12 Soup Plates, 12 Fruits, 2 Platters, 1 Covered Sugar Basin, 1 Cream Jug, 2 Covered Vegetable Dishes.

One of our best open stock designs and worth to-day \$45.00. Special to-day and Tuesday only; a set **\$31.50**

—Crocery, Second Floor

A Few Khaki Drill Shirts for Boys Left to Clear at \$1.25 Each

Just a dozen or so of these old quality Shirts, so famous for their hard, durable wear. The sizes are 12 to 14½ neck. Made in a full size and finished with turndown collar attached, pocket and band cuffs. Big Horn brand. While stock lasts, each **\$1.25**
—Boys' Shirts, Main Floor

We Cannot Repeat This Quality Flannel- ette Shirt Waist For Boys at Anything Near This Price—\$1.15 Each

We bought these Shirt Waists last year when the price was considerably lower and the quality infinitely better than the materials shown to-day, even at much higher prices. We therefore take this means and opportunity to advise our customers who anticipate having to buy new Shirt Waists for their boys to come along early and choose from this old standard grade. It may mean buying just a little earlier than you expected to do, but it's well worth while; you will not only save on the price but secure a quality that will give nearly double the wear and satisfaction.

These Shirts are made to fit boys 6 to 15 years and finished with double soft collar, attached, patent adjustable waist and band cuffs. The old quality flannel-ette in various fancy stripes. Special Tuesday, while stock lasts, each. **\$1.15**
—Boys' Shirts, Main Floor

One Dozen Smart Styles in New Waists of Heavy Jap Silk Selling at \$2.50

A very interesting assortment and all the styles are new and serviceable. Made for this fall wear. They mostly feature the semi-tailored order, with broad and narrow tucks and trimmings of hemstitching. Splendid grade of White Jap Silk, one that looks good and one that will give the best of satisfaction in wear. All sizes from 34 to 46. Very special value at, each **\$2.50**
—Waists, First Floor

Calendars For 1919

Beautiful assortment at prices to suit everybody. First showing this week.
—Stationery, Main Floor

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—Carpets, Third Floor

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Linen Sideboard Covers, neatly embroidered and finished with scalloped or hemstitched borders. Sizes 20 x 54 and 15 x 54. Very pretty designs. Perfect weaves. Priced, each, **\$3.25 to \$7.50**

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In sizes 30 x 30, 36 x 36, 45 x 45 and 54 x 54, all at prices below those charged for cotton ones to-day. Our prices for these Linen Cloths as follows:

Size 30x 30, each, **\$3.00 to \$9.00** Size 45 x 45, each, **\$4.50 to \$8.50**
Size 36 x 36, each **\$1.50 to \$10.50** Size 54 x 54, each **\$5.00 to \$12.50**

We also have some very low prices on Fine Embroidering Linens and Linen Lawns which we would like to show you.

—Linens, Main Floor



Clean-up of Kiddies' Woolen Pants and Caps

Just a dozen or so of these and they will clear quickly at the following prices:

Odd Pants, in grey and navy woolen mixtures. Sizes 1½ and 2 years. About one dozen only. Clearing, a pair **75¢**
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—Children's, First Floor

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Special, per bottle	
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Large Writing Pad, ruled or plain.	14c
Reg. 20c, for	

HARDWARE SPECIALS ALL WEEK	
Reception Cedar Polishing Mops, each	\$1.50
With every purchase of this Mop we will give one bottle of Cream Polish, value 45c, FREE.	
Salt and Pepper Glass, with nickel top. Reg. 35c.	25c
per pair	
Kitchen Scrubs, regular 25c each, for	17c

GROCERY DEPT.	
Mixed Peel, 1-lb. cans, 45c	35c
New Currants, per cation, 25c	15c
Shelled Walnuts, per lb., 75c	55c
Wetley Mince Meat, per pk., only	15c
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A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggly and His New Tie
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(By Howard R. Garis.)

"Would you mind coming with me this morning, Uncle Wiggly?" asked Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, the muskrat lady housekeeper, as she came out on the front porch, where the bunny rabbit gentleman was sunning his ears and twinkling his pink nose.

"Come with you? Of course I'll come with you, Janie!" cried Uncle Wiggly in his most jolly voice. "Where are you going? To look for an adventure?"

"No, I am going shopping down at the five and six cent store," replied Nurse Jane. "I thought you'd like to come and see me buy things."

Uncle Wiggly didn't say anything for a while, but he thought a lot. Going shopping with Nurse Jane was something he never did if he could get out of it. But now he couldn't get out of it. He had given his promise, and he always kept his word.

"Oh, going shopping, eh?" he said, casual like, and bromide.

"Yes," went on the muskrat lady. "I've got to buy a paper of pins, and a loaf of bread. But I'm going to look at other things, too."

Uncle Wiggly knew what this meant. It meant that he would have to stand around the three and four and the seven and eight cent stores, while Nurse Jane looked at pocketbooks, and figured the price of tablecloths, and how much new furs cost, and what sugar was selling for, and how many tomatoes you could get for a nickel and all like that; and she wouldn't buy anything. That's what shopping is.

"Well, I'll go," said Uncle Wiggly, as he put on his new tall silk hat.

"And maybe I'll do a little shopping for you," said the muskrat lady, facetious like.

"Oh, I don't need anything," quickly said the bunny rabbit gentleman. "I have everything I want."

"Maybe not," spoke Nurse Jane, and she looked right at the bottom of his collar where his necktie was.

Now Uncle Wiggly didn't like to go shopping one bit. But, having given his promise, and being a brave rabbit gentleman, he hopped off with Nurse Jane, leaving the hollow stump bungalow behind him. Off they went, over the fields and through the woods, and by-and-by they came to the one and two-cent store.

"I just want to run in here and look at baby carriages," said Nurse Jane.

"What for?" asked Uncle Wiggly in surprise.

"Oh, Mrs. Wibblewobble, the duck lady, asked me to," said Nurse Jane. "I won't be a minute."

She wasn't—she was ten minutes. And when she came out she had a package in her hand.

"I did a little shopping for you," she said to Uncle Wiggly. "I saw that you needed a new necktie, so I bought one. Isn't that a beauty?"

She opened the paper and showed the bunny a bright red tie. Oh, it was so very red! It was like a forest fire and red circus balloons, and red cinnamon lollypops all rolled into one. It was so bright it hurt Uncle Wiggly's eyes. And he liked quiet colors, like the ashes of lettuce or the embers of carrots, for his ties.

"Isn't that beautiful?" asked Nurse Jane, proudly.

"Fine," said Uncle Wiggly, and he pretended to like his new tie, whether he did or not. Uncle Wiggly was a gentleman.

"Now, come on," said Nurse Jane. "We'll do some more shopping."

So Uncle Wiggly tagged along with her, and he was glad he had on a quiet tie of the color of crushed mushrooms, so he didn't have to wear the eye-searing red one. That he stuck in a paper in his pocket. He would have to wear it later, he thought with a sigh.

Well, Nurse Jane kept on shopping, and she bought the paper of pins, and she looked at about forty-seven other things, and then she bought a loaf of bread, and then she and Uncle Wiggly started for home. And on the way, all of a sudden, out from behind a bush jumped a bad old fox.

"Ah, ha!" cried the fox. "Paws up! I've caught you both now! I'll carry you both away to my den!"

Nurse Jane put up her paws, and so did Uncle Wiggly, and in one paw the muskrat lady had bought for him. And the paper blew off, and as soon as the fox saw this flaming, bright red color he cried:

"Oh, please don't burn me! Oh, my eyes! Oh, don't throw that fire at me! I'll be good! I won't bite you!" and away he ran, leaving Nurse Jane and the bunny safe.

"What made him go?" asked the muskrat lady.

"I guess my red tie was too violent for him—it scared him," said the bunny. "I'm glad you got it for me. So you see things sometimes turn out good after all. And if the corn muffin doesn't stay out so late playing with the rice cake that it gets in too late for breakfast, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggly and his new hat."

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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

Social Personal

M. Albert, of Prince Albert, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. William Marchant, of Fort Street, have gone up to Duncan for a few days.

Capt. and Mrs. Mayhew have been spending a few days in Vancouver, as guests at Glenora Lodge.

Captain and Mrs. Prosper Linton, of Penang, Straits Settlements, are registered at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Chunggranes were in Vancouver during the week-end, staying at the Hotel Vancouver.

Mrs. Frank Hight, who for the past month has been visiting in Spokane and Lewiston, Idaho, has returned home.

Mrs. Hodder, who has been on a visit to friends in Calgary, is spending a few days in Vancouver en route to her home in this city.

Adapt, and Mrs. W. Harvey have returned to their home in this city, after visiting Mrs. W. T. Hutchins in Vancouver for a few days.

Glen Dewey, President of the Dewey-Gardner Luncheon Club, Moose Jaw, Sask., is staying at the Empress Hotel. Mrs. Dewey is accompanying her husband.

Miss Peggy Hosh, daughter of the United States Consul in this city, spent the week-end in Seattle as the guest of Mrs. Florice Halstead, 4201 Interlaken Road.

Vithalmur Strafuss, the explorer, has presented to the Red Cross Jumble Shop, of Seattle, ten of his books which he has autographed. They will be disposed of by auction.

Mrs. John Danson, who has recently come to Victoria from Vancouver, to take up her residence here, was formerly Secretary of the Women's Forum of the Mainland City.

Lady Kingston, accompanied by her secretary, Miss Dougherty, returned to Victoria this afternoon after spending the past week in Vancouver, where she exhibited her collection of Irish war trophies at David Spencer's, Ltd.

Rev. A. H. Sovereign, M. A., B. D., of St. Mark's Parish Church, Vancouver, who is leaving for overseas to serve as chaplain, was presented by his parishioners with a gold watch on the eve of his departure for England.

Miss Nan Bostock, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Hewitt Bostock, of Monte Creek, B. C., who has been the guest of Mrs. A. J. W. Bridgman, at Esquimalt for the past few days, left today for Vancouver, where she will make a short stay with friends before returning to her home in the Upper Country.

Mrs. C. Spofford and Mrs. Blackwood-Wileman, chairman of the Advisory Board of the Women's Institutes, returned to Victoria yesterday from the Upper Country, where they attended the conference of the Women's Institutes, and delivered addresses at various points in the Okanagan and Kootenay Valleys.

Mrs. V. S. MacLachlan, secretary to the Advisory Board of the Women's Institutes, returned this morning after having attended the conferences of the Women's Institutes in the upper country. Dr. Helen Ryan, who was also of the party, will remain in Seattle for this purpose, leaving in Kamloops for a few days to visit her daughter, Mrs. Powley, before returning home.

Confirmation by the United States of the acceptance and appointment as Vice-Consul in Seattle by the British Government of G. H. L. Murray has just been received by Bernard Pelly, British Consul of the South City. Mr. Murray, however, has been in Seattle as acting Vice-Consul since February last. Mr. Murray is the son of the late G. J. Murray, of Wootton Court, Canterbury, Kent. He was educated at Radley College, and at Keble College, Oxford. In 1917 he went into the service of his country as a district Government Commissioner in East Africa, remaining in the near Malindi, Mombasa, for ten years. His East African work took him over a very large territory and he has made a considerable collection of data and photographs of the country.

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J. Unit Chapter, I. O. D. E.	15.00
Miss H. Nash	5.00
Metropolitan Epworth League	5.00
Fitzherbert Bullen	10.00
H. J. Pollard	2.50
Mrs. Wilson	1.00
Division L. Fernwood School	15.00
Miss Dufort	42.00
James Bay Sub-committee	5.25
Miss J. Kneebone	2.50
Miss Crighton's Circle	4.40
Provincial Library Staff	8.00
Miss A. M. Russell	5.00
Mrs. McDonald	5.00
Mrs. E. H. Fletcher	5.00
Esquimalt Sub-committee	74.15
Douglas St. Baptist Church	20.00
Fernwood Sub-committee	24.50
McChesin Women's Institute	8.00
St. Andrew's Red Cross Workers	24.00
H. S. Smith	60.00
Mrs. G. Ledingham	5.00
Mrs. Hariman's Circle	5.00
Philanthropic Class, First Baptist Church	6.00
Miss T. Taylor	10.00
Miss Douglas	2.50
Girls, Bank of Montreal	5.25
Island Patriotic Society	242.00
Langford School	2.00
Herbert Beaumont Boggs Ch.	5.00
I. O. D. E.	5.00
Miss P. Lange	10.00
Mrs. E. M. Hyndman	10.00
Miss Dupont	2.00
Albion Women's Patriotic Society	45.00
Miss Rowland's Circle	4.00
Miss McDonald	4.00
Stenographers, Dist. Depot	5.25
J. B. C.	5.00
Mrs. H. Carmichael	5.00
Mrs. MacIntyre, four Circles	16.00
Friend, the Government	5.00
John Mair	4.00
Mrs. Mair	4.00
D. E. Campbell	2.00
Miss G. Pitts Circle	4.00
Miss McDonald	25.00
Comox	5.00
Miss Scott	5.00
Canadian Bank of Commerce	11.50
Hofstad, Bay	5.00
North Cowichan, Rev. Ch. of St. (Duncan Public School)	6.00
Muggins	10.00
	\$396.25

PLUCKY GIRLS OF OMAHA

One in Omaha two thousand young business women have pledged themselves to wear sweaters all the winter in their offices in order that a little coal as possible may be used in the office buildings.

Here, Mr. Canadian Coal Consumer, is an example that you and your family can well follow in your home. Keep your consumption of coal down to the very barest minimum.

We are up against an awkward and anxious situation. We must use each of us, at least a quarter less coal than we used last year. For, at the best, the available supply of coal will be short of last winter's by that amount.

Waste no coal at all. Use the least you can possibly do with. The more coal you use the less is available for war purposes—the less some other fellow, who likely needs it more, will be able to get. Thrift and self-denial are needed, in regard to coal, as much as, if not more than, in anything else. Do your part. Keep the home fires low. Save coal and money!

A NEN WITH A NAITCH!

I have been discussing with Sir Gilbert Parker the complexities of the English language, and he gave an example of how dialects add to the difficulty. A friend of his while in London inquired in a shop if they had any fresh eggs.

"Yes, mum, plenty," said the man; "there with 'em on 'em are fresh."

"I don't see any with a hen on 'em," said Mrs. X, looking around for a nest.

"The letter 'hen' mum, not the bird," said the man.

TO HOLD BAL MASQUE AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE

French Red Cross Society Plans Brilliant Affair for November 9

The prevalence of the Spanish influenza has failed to deter the members of the French Red Cross Society from proceeding with arrangements for their grand ball masque to be held at Government House on November 9. Mrs. F. C. Holden, the President, with characteristic optimism hopes that the epidemic will have disappeared by that date, and assisted by an energetic committee she is exerting every effort to make the affair an outstanding event of the winter season. The event will have the patronage of the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Barnard, who have given practical expression of their sympathy with the worthy cause by placing Government House at the disposal of the committee for the occasion. Major-General R. G. Lockhart, C.O.C., and Capt. H. E. Martin, R. N., have also signified their intention of attending the affair.

Among the novel features of the entertainment will be an Algerian cafe, which will occupy the entire length of one side of the balcony overlooking the beautiful ballroom, while on the other will be arranged a number of picturesque booths.

Mrs. R. H. Pooley and Miss Lillian Holden are arranging a programme of musical selections and novelty attractions to be given between dance numbers and card tables will be arranged for bridge devotees. The committee has announced that although everyone will be expected to wear a mask, fancy dress costume will be optional.

SPLENDID PATRIOTISM OF WOMEN OF FRANCE

Have Taken Over Control of All Branches of Industrial Endeavor

A whole volume would not be enough to tell simple facts of every day occurrence in the French woman's response to the call of her country. At the very first call for mobilization French women answered simultaneously with their men folk, and not once have they failed to "carry on" since that fateful August day. Women of all ranks and of every occupation responded.

From the very air of La Belle France they had absorbed as truth that every woman must give ungrudgingly of her dearest and of herself for defence of home and country. First of all they, like the Spartan women of old, handed to each soldier his shield with the message: "Come home with it or on it." Then they turned to the pen or the plough, whichever task they could do best of all those laid down by the departing soldiers. Because she is always her husband's companion and comrade, the French woman is always thoroughly acquainted with the business side of living.

Efficient Managers.

It was not difficult therefore (except for foreboding and anxiety and real terror) to assume entire control of shops, cafes, and even of farms, running them to the benefit of the whole community. Fields, vineyards, and orchards were tended, and crops were garnered by the women with scarcely a man to be seen. Over 850 women became managers of big businesses, and there is a long record of women who are acting as mayors, head teachers, post mistresses, and servants in posts by no means devoid of danger. They have performed their work with efficiency that is not qualified by any charitable allowances because of emergency.

French women have taken over the work of train conductors and divers, ticket collectors. Over 650 women were employed as tramway conductors in Paris alone in January, 1915, and 1,300 more in the Metro-tube. Over 6,700 were employed by railways, and thousands in the various banks. Munition workers are recruited almost entirely from the ranks of women. Lace-makers, dressmakers, porcelain workers from Limoges, embroiderers from the Vosges, tulle cutters, those whose hands and eyes had been trained to the daintiest, finest work turned out shells which on a random visit to a workshop employing 845 women produced but one bad shell among 80,000. Like their British sisters, the French women volunteered unhesitatingly for the most dangerous work. Effective canteen work was from the start the idea of French women for their sisters, and has been most efficiently managed.

Why Bronchial Catarrh Is So Dangerous

When Unchecked, Bronchial Catarrh Develops Rapidly—Attacks the Lungs—Ends in Consumption.

If you have fullness of the head, headache, difficulty in hearing, stuffed nostrils, drooping from the throat and hacking cough, you ought to know you have Catarrh. It begins as a cold; repeated colds inflame the air passages; by-and-by it extends deeper, far down into the lungs, then you have bronchitis. These inflamed surfaces secrete germ-laden mucus. If swallowed it poisons the whole system and destroys health. Stomach dosing always fails, so do washes, snuffs, ointments. The remedy that will cure quickest is Catarrhazone. You do not take Catarrhazone internally, you simply breathe a fragrant healing compound that destroys germs instantly. When you inhale Catarrhazone into the lungs little drops of healing are carried to the remotest parts of the breathing apparatus. Wherever Catarrhazone goes it destroys the germs, allowing the healing to go right on until the tissues are made whole. Then congestion ceases, the formation of mucus ceases, hawking and spitting ceases, and of course, drooping into the throat ceases also. You get well. You see Catarrhazone removes the cause of the disease. Don't you think this is the right way to cure Catarrh? Can you think of any other way half so good? Complete outfit, hard rubber inhaler with sufficient liquid to last three months. Price, \$1.00. Smaller size, 50c. All dealers, or The Catarrhazone Co., Buffalo, N.Y., and Kingston, Ont.

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THE MODELS to which we refer are among the most handsome, and certainly the most practical Coats that we have yet had the pleasure of offering this season. They are carefully tailored from tweeds of exceptional quality and good weight, while the color range offers a splendid selection in self tones, plaids and mixture effects. A large number of these Coats are fitted with storm cuffs, a feature that should not be overlooked.



Flannelette Wear for Children

Petticoats with bodice; the skirt is tucked and nicely trimmed with linen lace—85c

Drawers, in bloomer style, with elastic knee; ages 8 to 14 years—60c

Drawers, with elastic knee and ruffle of flannelette embroidery; ages 8 to 14 years—75c

Nightgowns with fancy stitched yoke; neck and sleeves have self ruffle; ages 8 to 14 years—\$1.15

Nightgowns in high neck style; has fancy buttonhole stitching on neck, sleeves, pocket and in front, at \$1.25

Also a style with tucked and embroidery yoke at \$1.25

Nemo Self-Reducing Corsets at \$5.25

Stout women of average height should interest themselves in this particular Nemo model. It is a comfortably fitting model, giving ample support where it is required and at the same time correcting the figure in those parts where a little more than average fullness would spoil the otherwise graceful and fashionable lines.

It is made with a medium bust and has elastic inserts at the back. Sizes 21 to 36—\$5.25 a pair.

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BETTER LEFT UNSAID.

His aunt was rich and elderly. She had called unexpectedly when he was out, and his wife was trying to entertain her by such methods as she thought best conducive to their future welfare.

The old lady had recently added a photograph to her establishment, and when she heard that early that morning her loving nephew had made for her a record of her favorite violin-solo she was delighted.

"How nice of him!" she said. "Can I hear it?"

"Well," said her niece, "we haven't tried it yet, but I'll put it on."

It was a pronounced success, and the old lady was charmed.

But her feeling changed when, after the solo was finished, the instrument brought out these words with fatal clearness:

"Phew! If that isn't good for an extra hundred in the old girl's will, I'm a Dutchman!"—TIT-BITS.

A SHOW-DOWN.

A young grass widow makes it plain that she has learned her licks.

"No man shall win my hand again until he has shown his."

Buy Victory Bonds and So Help Buy Victory!

TWO BROTHERS KILLED WITHIN THREE DAYS

One Was 103rd Battalion Sergeant-Major; Major's Body Identified

Sergeant Robert C. Miller, Battalion Sergeant-Major of the 103rd Battalion, who reduced to the rank of a private to proceed to the firing line, and his younger brother, have both laid down their lives on the fields of France within three days of each other, the sad news of the death of the two brothers in the great cause being received by the relatives on the same day. Sergeant Miller, who was killed after ten months' fighting, was the chief non-commissioned officer of the 103rd Battalion. He was a native of the Victoria area, and was an experienced soldier who won the respect of all the men of the battalion by his able leadership. He was killed on October 18, 1918, at the Central Fish Market, and lived with him at 1340 Denman Street.

Body Discovered.
The sad news has been received by Henry Bell-Irving that the body of his son, Major Frederick Bell-Irving, M. C., second in command of the 16th Battalion, had been discovered and identified. Major Frederick Bell-Irving was one of six brothers who had each distinguished themselves in the war. A week ago a cable despatch was received that he was reported missing and believed to be wounded during the Canadian advance. News that Lieutenant-Colonel W. Peck, D. S. O., in command of the 16th Battalion, had been wounded was also received at the same time. It is understood that Major Bell-Irving was instantly killed by shell fire.

First Contingent Man.
Lieut. J. M. G. Bell, M. C., R. A. F., formerly 1st Canadian Contingent, and eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bell, of Sooke, has died of wounds. He was one of the original draft of the 24th Canadian Garrison Artillery which left from Victoria, and obtained his commission in the air force since proceeding overseas. He had been previously been wounded, and was admitted recently to No. 14 General Hospital with wounds which have since

proved fatal. He won the Military Cross for his bravery at Cambrai.

Did His Full Share.
In a letter of sympathy to Mrs. Annie Day, 1340 Bee Street, on the death of her husband, Pte. W. Day, who was killed fighting with the 54th Battalion, H. H. Rylands, writing for the Officer Commanding his company, says:

"Your husband was a brave soldier. He was not only a favorite with myself but very popular with all his comrades, who with myself feel his loss keenly."

"Consolation will be found in the fact that he passed away after doing fully his share for freedom and country. He was a good Christian soldier and has at last found that glorious peace which God alone can give."

Died From Pneumonia.
Pte. Harry Chetneuf Johnston of the Tank Battalion, died on Saturday at Vancouver General Hospital from pneumonia. He was a son of Corpl. C. H. Johnston, of the Vancouver Engineers, and his brother, Charles Chetneuf Johnston, is overseas with the Signaling Corps.

He leaves a wife and young child, also a grandmother and aunt, who reside at 550 Harbinger Avenue. The remains will be forwarded here for burial to-morrow.

Seriously Ill.
Mrs. M. J. Spring, 1233 Spring Road, has received a telegram informing her that her son, Lance-Corpl. George B. Milne, is seriously ill at Vancouver Military Hospital.

DIED OF WOUNDS



PTE. E. G. CARTER
who died of wounds received September 29th, before he could be removed to hospital in England.

LONELY END FOR DISEASE'S VICTIM

Police Called in Too Late to Soothe Solitary Sufferer

Deserted and destitute, with no one to care for him, even bring him food and covering, Dan Morton, the most pathetic victim of the influenza epidemic so far reported, passed away on Saturday in a little cabin on Humboldt Street, where he had evidently lain for some days, unattended, and without nourishment.

It appears that the other longshoremen who worked with Morton, had noted his absence from work, and had reported the matter to the police. Acting on the information received, Sgt. Blackstock visited a little tumble-down cabin on Humboldt Street, near Blanshard Street intersection, and there found Morton lying on a crude bunk, without food or covering. It appeared that the sick man, who by this time was very near his last, had been without food of any kind for some days. It was thought that he had been alone for nearly a week.

There were no blankets in the shack, and the lonely victim of the ravages of influenza had apparently suffered many nights he had spent alone, and the sands of life had so ebbed out when the police arrived, that the deserted victim was beyond relief.

Assistance Too Late.
On perceiving that Morton was in a most critical condition, Sgt. Blackstock telephoned to police headquarters, and Jailer Hall, after vainly endeavoring to call a doctor, hastened to the scene of the lonely deathbed. He brought a generous supply of blankets and the police officers did all in their power to bring the suffering back to life, but without result. Sgt. Blackstock remained with the dying man until the arrival of Dr. Lennox, but shortly afterwards the Grim Reaper completed his work.

EASY TO REMEMBER.

Dr. Reid, a celebrated medical writer, was requested by a literary lady to call at her house, and he said he would be charmed to do so. "You won't forget the address," she said, "No. 1 Chesterfield Street."

"Madam," said the doctor, "I am too great an admirer of politeness not to remember Chesterfield, and I fear, too selfish to forget No. 1."

ON A SLUSHY DAY.

Boggs: That chap who just passed in his auto must be a politician. Boggs:—Why so?

Boggs:—Didn't you notice the way he was throwing mud?

RECENT DRIVE FOR HUTS HUGE SUCCESS

Knights of Columbus Raise Over Million Dollars; Other Denominations Help

Overwhelming success attended the recent Dominion-wide drive in aid of the Knights of Columbus huts for the troops overseas. The goal striven for was the sum of \$500,000, but latest reports to hand—which are as yet incomplete—show that the fund has reached over \$1,000,000, and will probably be considerably in excess of that figure when all quarters are heard from. The city of Toronto and the province of Quebec between them contributed over \$500,000. The sum of \$3,200 has been collected in Victoria, and when all promised subscriptions are in the fund will reach over \$1,500.

A noteworthy feature of the drive is that it was the first occasion on which a Catholic organization made an appeal to the people of Canada. Despite the fact that the scheme was inaugurated by a Catholic organization, a remarkable response was made by every religious denomination. Splendid support was tendered by George A. Warburton, General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and by the many teams from all the leading cities. In Toronto much of the collecting was carried out by teams from the Masonic Lodges of that city. The generous response of that city has, in the opinion of J. D. O'Connell, chairman of the local committee for the drive, done much towards cementing the bonds between the Catholic and other religious denominations, and goes to prove that the people of Canada appreciate the true spirit of comradeship underlying the slogan of the K. of C. Huts in France—"Everybody welcome and everything free."

THEIR NAMESAKES.
They were engaged to be married, and called each other by their first names, Tom and Fanny. He was telling her how he had always liked the name of Fanny, and how it sounded like music in his ear. "But like the name so much," he added, "as a sort of clincher to the argument, 'that when my sister Clara asked me to name her pet terrier, I at once called her Fanny—after you, dearest!'"

"But I don't think that was very nice," said the fair girl, edging away from him. "How would you like to have a dog named after you?" "Why, that's nothing!" said Tom, airily, as he saw he'd made a mistake. "Half the cats in the country are named after me!"—Tit-Bits.

The death occurred at an early hour on Saturday of Pte. Alfred Ernest Cordery, at the age of twenty-two years. The late soldier was born in England, and had been resident in the city for the past month, being a member of the 26th Rifles. The remains are being kept at the Sands Funeral Chapel, pending funeral arrangements.

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OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred this morning at St. Joseph's Hospital of Catherine Ralph, at the age of twenty-eight years and eleven months. The late Miss Ralph was born in Michigan, U. S. A., and has been a resident of this city for the past fifteen years, late residence 624 Alpha Street. She is survived by, besides her mother and father, four brothers and three sisters. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. H. S. Osborne will officiate and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The death occurred suddenly yesterday morning at his home, 1524 Pembroke Street, of William Williams Ralph, aged seventy-three years. He was born in Crown, Cornwall, England, and a resident of this city for the past thirty-seven years. The deceased is survived by his widow, residing at 1524 Pembroke Street, and by one son and seven nephews. The funeral will take place on Wednesday, the 23rd inst., at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. H. S. Osborne will officiate, and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery. No flowers, by request.

The death occurred yesterday afternoon of Private Archibald Galt, aged twenty years, of the 26th Rifles. He was born in St. John, Newfoundland, and a resident of this city for the past two weeks. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Francis Galt, residing at St. John, Newfoundland. The remains are being kept at the Sands Funeral Chapel. Funeral announcements later.

The death occurred yesterday afternoon at the Irving House Hospital of Sgt. Edward Henry Charles Cook, aged forty-seven years, late of the 1st Depot Battalion, Willoes Camp. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, under full military honors. Rev. G. H. Andrews will officiate, and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

On Saturday afternoon at Stadacona Hospital the death occurred of Pte. Fred Chrysler, late of the 26th Rifles, stationed at the Willoes Park. He was aged twenty years and seven months, a native of Waterstown, N. Y., and had been in Victoria for but three weeks. The remains are being kept at the Sands Funeral Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

The death occurred at his home, 2943 Delatre Street, of Arthur Butcher, at the age of thirty-one years. Deceased had been a resident of this city for the past six years, and leaves to mourn his loss a father and mother in this city, three sisters and one brother in England, and one brother a prisoner in Germany. He was a member of the Island Lodge, Sons of England, and of the Choral Society. The remains are being kept at the Sands Funeral Chapel. Funeral announcements later.

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TAX SALE

OF

Lands for Delinquent Provincial Taxes

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ASSESSMENT DISTRICT NAME OF NEWSPAPER

VICTORIA	Times
NANAIMO	Free Press
COWICHAN	Cowichan Leader
ALBERNI	News (Port Alberni)
COMOX	Comox Argus (Courtenay)
PENDER ISLAND	
MAYNE ISLAND	Sidney Review (Sidney)
GALIANO ISLAND	
SALT SPRING ISLAND	
VANCOUVER	Sun
NEW WESTMINSTER	Coquitlam Times (Coquitlam)
ROSSLAND	Grand Forks Gazette
SLOCAN	Kootenian (Kaslo)
NELSON	Creston Review (Creston)
KETTLE RIVER	Herald (Pinecroft)
PRINCETON	Star
REVELSTOCK	Review
ASHROFT	Ashcroft Journal
NICOLA	Herald (Meritt)
LILLOOET	Telegram (Kamloops)
KAMLOOPS	Telegram (Kamloops)
VERNON	Kelowna Courier
GOLDEN	Star
FORT STEELE	District Ledger (Ferne)
QUESNEL FORKS	Cariboo Observer
TELEGRAPH CREEK	
ATLIN	Prince Rupert News (Prince Rupert)
PRINCE RUPERT	Citizen (Prince George)
BARKERVILLE	Interior News (Smithers)
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DATED VICTORIA, B. C.

October 19th, 1918.

E. E. LEASON,

Surveyor of Taxes and Inspector of Revenue.

AERIAL COMMERCIAL TRANSPORT

A Glimpse into the Future.
From The London Chronicle.

The development of commercial aerial transport will represent an inversion of the ordinary laws of progress. The growth of the railway and the ship as carriers of goods and passengers followed the line of a slow progress from small beginnings, and during that progress each step in technical development was designed to meet some new commercial need. By mere coincidence the present was broken out at a time when the science of aeronautics was, if not in its infancy, at least in its childhood. The problems of speed, weight-carrying, stability and navigation have been worked out under the stern and arduous conditions of military experience. Not thus were their respective commercial possibilities, were established; they are, indeed, factors of military value with a commercial past behind them, while aircraft, brought suddenly to a high state of technical development, must look to the future to pass the tests and satisfy the standards of commercial transport.

Two outstanding features of the use of the air for commercial transport arise—the necessity, at once, of speed and the absence of a track. It may safely be said that subject to the limit of the weight which can be carried by aircraft, the average speed of air-borne traffic will in a few years be three times that of any traffic carried on land or water at least over distances reckoned in hundreds of miles. Such a prediction is based on the use of aeroplanes, but even in the case of an airship, which may be said to occupy a half-way position between the aeroplane and the train, the comparatively heavy load carried will generally be transported at a greater speed than would be possible in any form of land conveyance.

A Universal Highway.
The absence of a track means more than would a mere removal of hedges, trees and other obstructions which in a Utopian age might conceivably form part of a process for rendering the whole countryside a universal highway. It is a truism to refer to the unlimited room afforded by the air space in two dimensions but a truism which it is well to emphasize in our conception of the air as capable of commercial use. A railway with six super-imposed tracks which could be used for six different kinds of traffic would not rival in its facilities an ordinary overland air route of the future, except in the matter of weight carrying.

We are apt to think of transport in terms of life in Europe with all that civilization has brought to us. From this standpoint we inquire what will be the effect of aerial transport upon our habits; shall we visit our friends in the country by aeroplane, or shall we in happier times avoid the miseries of a Channel crossing by a through

flight to Paris? Will the frequent passage of aircraft affect the amenities of our life in a country house?

Commercially, our outlook should be wider. It is in the big undeveloped lands and in long journeys over countries now regarded as almost inaccessible that aircraft will show their supremacy. Picture the South African homeward mail starting from Cape Town and making Egypt by the Eastern route in some sixty hours, with the route lights reflected in the waters of the Nile and the Sphinx regarding with untroubled gaze this later defiance of the ancient laws.

Picture again the small group of New York millionaires whose urgent business in London or Paris calls suddenly for a swift crossing. The huge aeroplane with its three navigators and engineer will leave Newfoundland just before sunrise to pick up the Western Irish lights an hour or two after sunset, awaking the waste of Atlantic waters with the long-drawn drone of its triple engine, after sighting, may be, but one of its slower rivals laboriously ploughing the sea.

The Test of War.
These are glimpses into a not very distant future. To whom do we owe these possibilities? In the first instance to men of the type of Lilienthal and the Wright Brothers, whose experiments in the theory and practice of flight gave such fruitful results; secondly to that band of English and French pioneers whose performances in the early flying contests before the war filled us with wonder; thirdly, to that host of scientific engineers and designers whose more particularly in France, England and Italy, have been able to evolve not only the marvelously efficient wing section of the modern aeroplane, but also a power plant of unexampled lightness without which flying, at least in the heavier air machines, could scarcely have passed the experimental stage.

But if an attempt is made to allocate fairly the praise which is due to those whose work will have ensured the final success of aerial transport, we must not omit from our regard the armies of the Allied fighting forces. These men have held their lives cheap in carrying on a service both over land and sea in which, apart from military objects, the whole theory of flight, the strength of machines, the power of engines and the problems of aerial navigation have been tested by standards of performance unknown to any peace conditions. To them the promoters of commercial aerial transport will owe a debt the magnitude of which, it is hoped, will be duly realized in the future.

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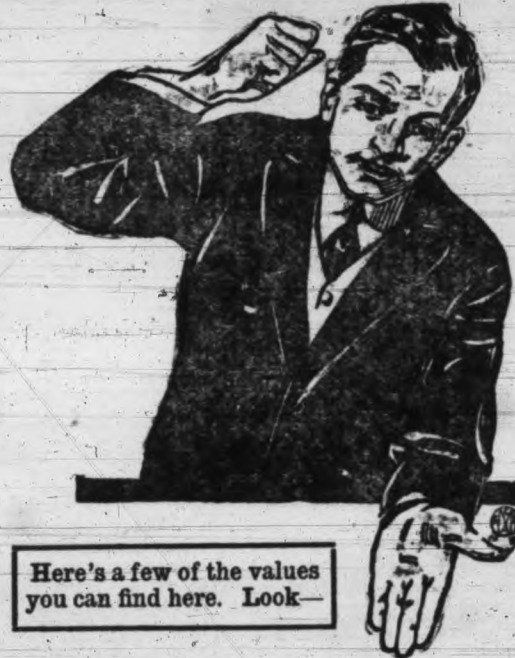
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<p>Ladies' Grey Kid \$7.00 Shoes For \$3.85 Just a glimpse at these and you will want a pair quick. They have cloth tops and Louie heels. \$7.00 values for \$3.85</p>	<p>MEN'S \$8.00 SHOES FOR \$5.85 Gunmetal Calf Shoes, with recede toes and welted soles. Our regular price was \$8.00. Sale price.....\$5.85</p> <p>LADIES' PATENT LEATHER PUMPS with neat pointed toes and Louie heels. They come in the plain spat styles and with buckles. Sale price.....\$3.45</p> <p>MEN'S TAN CALF NEOLIN SOLE SHOES \$4.85 Extra Special Bargains are these, in all sizes. This lot we are selling at less than boys' shoe prices. Hurry! Grab them quick. Sale price. \$4.85 Good \$6.50 values.</p>	<p>"K" BOOT SHOP 1115 Government Street</p>

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MRS. J. F. GRANT HAS DIED OF PNEUMONIA

Wife of Victoria Doctor Succumbed Yesterday; Was Born at Nanaimo

Residents of Victoria and Nanaimo generally, and members of the medical profession particularly, will hear with sincere regret of the death of Mrs. Lena Grant, wife of Dr. James F. Grant, who is one of the latest victims of the scourge of Spanish influenza. Mrs. Grant has been receiving medical care for some months past, and her condition was such that when she caught a chill recently, influenza was quickly followed by pneumonia, to which she succumbed at four o'clock yesterday afternoon at her residence, 168 Beechwood Avenue.

The late Mrs. Grant was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Edward, of Nanaimo, in which city she was born twenty-eight years ago. She was married to Dr. Grant at Nanaimo, and later moved to Victoria some five or six years ago. In addition to her husband she leaves two children to mourn her loss, a son and a daughter, Ray and Beverly.

In her death the Hollywood Branch of the Red Cross loses one of its most active members. Mrs. Grant having worked unceasingly at the rooms since the branch was opened. She was also a member of the Women's Canadian Club, of this city, and was ever ready to assist in any patriotic or philanthropic work.

The remains are reposing at the B.C. Funeral Chapel and to-morrow morning will be taken to the residence, from where the funeral will be held at 2:30 to-morrow afternoon. The Rev. R. A. P. Chadwick will officiate. Interment at Ross Bay cemetery.

WESTERN SCOT VETERAN



PTE. STEAD TRICKETT
who has been in the war zone since August, 1916, has been wounded recently for the first time.

WOUNDED IN SHOULDER



C. Q. M. SGT. N. E. LINDNER
son of Mrs. M. Lindner, who has been wounded in the shoulder. He left from Calgary, Alta., with the 56th Battalion.

SON OF ENERGETIC RED CROSS WORKER



DARREL W. WILKINSON
son of Mrs. R. W. Wilkinson, convenor of Mrs. R. W. Wilkinson Society. He was recently wounded in the hand.

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Military Fines Levied.—A number of fines under the Military Service Act were levied by Magistrate Jay in the Police Court this morning. Harry Gussoff, for not having proof upon his person that he was not in Class I, was mulcted \$25, and for not registering was forced to contribute \$20 to the city's coffers. Charlton Gazonoff, for the same offences suffered similarly.

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Dr. K. A. Clark, Chief Engineer of Federal Road Materials Division, Here

SAMPLES ARE TAKEN FOR LABORATORY TESTS

Engineers Are Carrying Out Work in Efficient and Economical Way

British Columbians, particularly public men, often eulogize the road system of the Province in view of the results attained over a vast area of difficult country. An opinion, however, from outside, particularly when it comes from an expert, is especially welcome. Concluding a six weeks' tour, Dr. K. A. Clark, Chief Engineer of the Road Materials Division of the Mines Branch, Ottawa, was in the city over the week-end, leaving to-day for the East.

Unlike most experts, his investigation does not end now, for he has collected a number of samples of material to be examined in the laboratories of the department at Ottawa, upon which a report will be forwarded later. He states that he finds the district engineers carrying out their work efficiently, in an economical manner.

In a chat with a Times representative at the Empress Hotel yesterday, Dr. Clark outlined the results of his tour.

Objects of Work.

"The Road Materials Division is organized for the purpose of testing materials used in highway construction and of studying problems connected with the use of such material," he stated. "The activities of the division have, up to the present, been confined mostly to the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec. This season, in an endeavor to extend the field of usefulness of the work, I have paid this visit to British Columbia to see the road situation here, and to find out the problems confronting the engineers, toward the solution of which the Road Materials Division can be of assistance. Through the courtesy of the Department of Public Works I have been able to spend about a month and a half with their various district engineers, going over some of their main roads."

Tribute to Engineers.

"It has been a great pleasure to have come in touch with the engineering staff of the Department of Public Works, whether district engineer or assistant. I have found them always splendid capable, open-minded men, keenly studying the problems of their district and giving enthusiastic and loyal support to Mr. Foreman, Public Works Engineer, in conducting the affairs of his Department in an economical and efficient way. It is greatly to the credit of Mr. Foreman that he has gathered such a capable staff, and has inspired them with such esprit de corps. "I was also much impressed with the high esteem which everywhere was shown for Dr. King, Minister of Public Works. This was not merely a display of respect for a Minister, but a real affection for one personally interested in each member of his staff, and standing ready to appreciate and support loyal service. To all the many problems connected with road construction and maintenance whether for main roads, side roads, mining roads or trails, with bridges, with ferry service, with drainage and with protection against encroachment of river banks, their very best attention is being given. It is the aim always to provide adequately for the needs of the district and to secure maximum results for money spent."

A Difficult Problem.

"As for the roads, what impressed me at once was the great mileage of constructed roads, for so sparse a population. Much has been accomplished toward improving the province with an adequate system of highways. It is unfortunate that through lack of engineering supervision in the past, many stretches of road are badly located, and

PRINCE RUPERT SOLDIER



SERGEANT A. B. RUSSELL
before he left Victoria with the B. C. Battalion employed in the Postal Department at Prince Rupert, and was well-known in social circles. He was recently killed in action.

that money will have to be spent in the future to correct such mistakes. A general fault is the narrowness of the "road-building" standpoint, and where rock or gravel is hard to procure. Increasing automobile traffic is also having a destructive effect on



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Dutch Cocoa (bulk) Per pound	30c	Pot Roasts Beef Per pound	24c
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through the districts this fall, I have collected a good many samples of various types of material to be examined in the laboratories of the Department of Mines at Ottawa this winter, in connection with specific problems outlined to me by the engineers. I hope that the results will be such as to lead to more extensive co-operation in the future between the Federal and Provincial Departments. "I have enjoyed greatly my visit to British Columbia. I consider it a great privilege to have been able to meet the members of the engineering staff, and to discuss with them plans for co-operation. I appreciate also the opportunity I have had of travelling through the glorious mountain country. What a great thing it will be when all the wonderful variety of mountain scenery in the various sections of the Province will be made easily accessible by an adequate system of serviceable roads! Not only would it be a boon to the travellers and tourists, but also a source of revenue would be put to the credit of the highway system of the Province which would justify all such expenditure on good roads."

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ANOTHER LAUNCHING
RECORD ESTABLISHED

Skinner & Eddy Lowers Own
Mark With New Steamship
West Mahomet

Seattle, Oct. 21.—Clipping two and one-half days off the plant's best previous performance, the Skinner & Eddy Corporation on Saturday launched the hull of the 8,300 deadweight tons freighter West Mahomet, just forty-six and one-half working days from the date of the keel laying. The previous record in this class of the West Mahomet, launched August 17, a forty-nine days ship.

It was another triumph for General Manager David Rodgers and his hard driving team of speed ship producers. This ship rounds out a total of thirty-five vessels launched from this plant, thirty-one of which are in commission, and twenty-five of them being in the service of the United States shipping board's emergency fleet. This launching makes four giant vessels now being outfitted at the Skinner & Eddy plant, two of which will be delivered in the next few days.

Influenza Victims.

The recruiting services supplied the plant with 2,000 additional workmen recently, but this increase has been minimized to a degree by the fact that Saturday 1,700 men failed to report for work in the morning. Most of them were reported ill, influenza being the predominant ailment.

Weekly Schedule.

Rodgers, as the big hull slipped into the water, expressed the belief that the weekly programme would be continued with but little or no variation. The launching leaves but five more 8,300-ton ships yet to be built at this plant, which will soon be turning out vessels of 3,500 tons, exclusively, unless the shipping board decides upon a still larger type.

The West Mahomet is the nineteenth ship of the original contract of twenty vessels allotted to Skinner & Eddy, the original programme of which called for their delivery July 1, 1918. However, the speedy construction of these vessels cut down the approximate period of delivery to such an extent that it became apparent that the entire programme would be finished before January 1, and an additional contract for fifty more vessels was awarded. Two ships of the latter contract have already been launched.

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THE TIME USED IS PACIFIC STANDARD, for the 12th meridian west. It is counted from 6 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

SHIPYARD FOREMAN
CALLED BY DEATH

Albert Esnouf, of Foundation
No. 1 Plant, Succumbs to
Bright's Disease

Albert Esnouf, who for several months past has been associated with the Foundation Company as general foreman of the Point Hope yard, passed away yesterday afternoon, the cause of death being Bright's disease. Mr. Esnouf, although he had not been in the best of health for some time, remained at his work at the Foundation yard up to the time of the launching of the War Nanook, when he took a holiday with the intention of going to Harrison Hot Springs to recuperate. Taken seriously ill, he turned back from Vancouver and was ordered by his doctor to the St. Joseph's Hospital for treatment.

Death intervened at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The sudden death of Mr. Esnouf comes as a great shock to his many friends, many of whom were under the impression that he was on the road to recovery.

He was a prominent member of the Knights of Pythias order, and the funeral is expected to take place under the auspices of the fraternal organization.

Mr. Esnouf was born on the Island of Jersey forty-one years ago, and came out to Canada at an early age. He attended the Central School here and after completing his studies took up ship-carpentering. For a number of years he was with the Robertson Shipyards in James Bay.

At the time of the Klondike rush he went to the Yukon, and on his return from the North he entered the employ of William Turner. For a time he was engaged in boat-building with George Assew on the Peace River.

About a year ago he joined the Foundation Company as foreman fastener, and more recently was appointed to the position of general foreman at the No. 1 yard. He leaves a wife and child to mourn his loss.

SEARCH INSTITUTED
FOR MISSING CRAFT
IN SOUTH PACIFIC

Melbourne, Oct. 21.—A Government training boat has been sent to search for the boat which sailed under command of Captain Hughes from Malden Island late in July to secure assistance for the crews of the Annie Larsen and John Murray, which were marooned there. The men on Malden Island have since been rescued.

TWO LARGE VESSELS
LAUNCHED AT OAKLAND

Oakland, Cal., Oct. 21.—The Eclipse, 12,000 tons, and the Chelapeau, 2,400 tons, were launched here Sunday.

WIRELESS REPORT

October 21, 3 a. m.
Point Grey—Clear; N. W.; 20.02; 43; sea rough.
Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 20.15; 33; sea smooth. Spoke str Spokane, 7:50 p. m. Seymour Narrows, southbound.
Pachena—Clear; N. W.; light; 20.05; 40; sea moderate.
Princeton—Passing showers; 23.90; 50; sea smooth.
Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 20.30; 44; sea smooth. Passed out str Camosun, 6:10 a. m., southbound.
Triangle—Squally; S. W.; moderate; 20.12; 43; sea rough. Spoke str Admiral Nicholson, 6:40 p. m., off Scarlett Point, northbound; spoke str Curacao, 6:40 p. m., Queen Charlotte Sound, southbound.
Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; 20.33; 40; sea smooth.
Heda Bay—Rain; S. W.; 20.72; 44; sea smooth.
Princeton—Overcast; S. E.; strong; 23.56; 47; sea moderate.
Noon.
Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 30.15; 46; sea smooth. Spoke str Jefferson, 10:30 a. m., abeam, northbound; spoke str Curacao, 12:15 p. m., through Seymour Narrows, 10:50 a. m., southbound.
Pachena—Cloudy; S. E.; fresh; 30.10; 50; sea moderate.
Alert Bay—Rain; S. E.; 20.33; 54; sea smooth.
Triangle—Cloudy; S. W.; moderate; 20.08; 39; sea rough. Spoke str Princess Beatrice, 9:45 a. m., leaving River's Inlet, southbound; spoke str Admiral Watson, 11:50 a. m., southbound; spoke str Admiral Nicholson, 10:45 a. m., off Jorkin's Point, northbound.
Free Point—Clear; calm; 20.32; 50; sea smooth.
Heda Bay—Clear; S. W.; 20.73; 45; sea smooth.
Princeton—Cloudy; S. E.; fresh; 20.10; 50; sea smooth. Spoke str Princess Sophia, 12:20 p. m., off Digby Bay, northbound.

TIDE TABLE.

October.
Time of high and low water (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of October, 1918:
Sunrise and Sunset.
Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of October, 1918:
Sunrise Hour Min. Sunset Hour Min.
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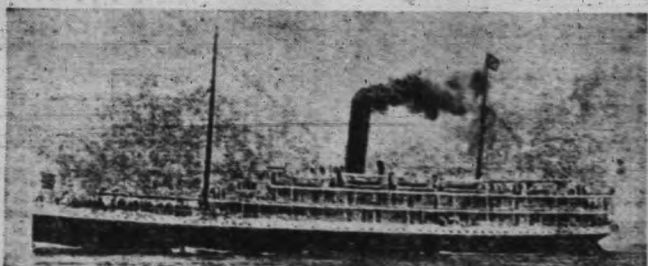
GOVERNOR IS DUE.

The American steamship Governor, of the Pacific Steamship Co., is scheduled to arrive in port to-day from Wilmington and San Francisco.

SO IT SEEMS.

People ask who the Cethana Slovaks are. They are the men who put the "rot" in Trotsky. London Opinion.

Going Into Californian Service



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Which will be transferred from Alaskan run to operate between San Francisco and Los Angeles.

TRYING TO REACH
PORT BEFORE SUNDOWN

N. Y. K. Liner Kashima Maru
Expects to Make Quarantine at 3.30 To-morrow

In view of the wireless advice received from the Kashima Maru this morning "some doubt exists" as to whether the big Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner will be able to make quarantine before sundown to-morrow evening.

According to the radiogram flashed ashore, the Kashima Maru will make William Head at 5.30 p. m. to-morrow, which is interpreted to mean sea time. Official sundown to-morrow is set for 6.11 p. m., standard time. The Kashima Maru has some reserve speed and there is always the possibility that she may make the station by driving ahead at her best clip.

The alternative will be to arrive at anchor overnight and secure pratique at sunrise on Wednesday morning. The Kashima Maru has over 400 passengers on board and carries 10,000 tons of Oriental freight in her holds. She has 1,000 tons of cargo for discharge here.

Outbound, the liner Atsuta Maru will get away from this port on October 25 and will be followed by the Fushimi Maru on October 30.

Arabia on Friday.
R. P. Rihet & Co., local agents for the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, announce that the Japanese liner Arabia Maru will reach port on October 25 from Singapore and Oriental ports. Closely on her heels is the liner Mexico Maru, which is expected to reach here on October 26. Both vessels are operated in the Singapore service. The liner Africa Maru, which sailed from the Outer Docks at 9 o'clock on Saturday night, took 200 passengers and 10,000 tons of general cargo.

SALE TO STRENGTHEN
FINANCIAL POSITION

Pacific Coast Company's Official
Makes Announcement
Future of Spokane

"Sale of our freight and passenger vessels to the 'Admiral Line' will strengthen our company in a financial way and place us in a position to increase the scope of our activities in Seattle," says E. C. Ward, Vice-President and General Manager of the Pacific Coast Company.

Purchase of the fleet was announced last week by H. F. Alexander, President of the Pacific Steamship Company. Arrangements have been completed by the Pacific Steamship Company for transferring the steamship Spokane, now operated between Seattle and ports in Southeastern Alaska, to the San Francisco-Los Angeles route. It was announced that the vessel will be placed in service in California in December and will ply between San Francisco and Los Angeles in connection with the steamship City of Topeka.

"It has been our custom to withdraw vessels from the Alaska trade in the winter, and lay them up in Seattle, but this year, because of the commanding of the steamships Yale and Harvard by the Government, we will send the Spokane south and operate her between San Francisco and Los Angeles," said an officer of the Pacific Steamship Company.

Although the Spokane has made occasional voyages to Southwestern Alaska, her regular service has been between Seattle and ports in Southeastern Alaska.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of October, 1918:
Sunrise Hour Min. Sunset Hour Min.
Oct. 12 6 29 5 21
Oct. 13 6 30 5 20
Oct. 14 6 31 5 19
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Oct. 24 6 41 5 9
Oct. 25 6 42 5 8
Oct. 26 6 43 5 7
Oct. 27 6 44 5 6
Oct. 28 6 45 5 5
Oct. 29 6 46 5 4
Oct. 30 6 47 5 3
Oct. 31 6 48 5 2

The Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B. C.

GOVERNOR IS DUE.

The American steamship Governor, of the Pacific Steamship Co., is scheduled to arrive in port to-day from Wilmington and San Francisco.

SO IT SEEMS.

People ask who the Cethana Slovaks are. They are the men who put the "rot" in Trotsky. London Opinion.

CETHANA'S TRIP IS
CREATING INTEREST

Is First of Four Largest Full-powered Wooden Motor-ships Built in States

The motorship Cethana, which recently loaded 1,200 tons of paper at Powell River for Australia, is the first of four of the largest full-powered wooden motorships yet constructed in the United States. She was built to the order of the Australian Government by the Spokane Shipyards Corporation at Olympia, Wash. The Cethana and her sister ships, the Culbulla, Chialamba and Chioleha, are Diesel-engine vessels specially designed for the Pacific trade. On her trials the Cethana averaged 10.35 knots without in the least endangering herself. A feature of her trials was her manoeuvring. The engine was reversed from full speed ahead to full astern in fifteen seconds. From full astern to full ahead, with the engine-room staff on the lookout for the signal, took nine seconds.

The Cethana and her sister ships are each 230 feet long with a beam of 46 feet, a moulded depth of 21 feet and a load draft of 22 feet, giving them a deadweight capacity of 3,200 tons.

Vibration, which has been the source of great annoyance with some Diesel and steam engines of the marine type, has been eliminated. The engines are direct-reversible with the Richardson-Phoenix forced lubrication to all the main working parts. The air compressor is of the three-stage type, compressing up to 1,500 lbs. to the square inch. Each cylinder has an independent fuel pump which can be operated to on or off position from the forward end of the engine immediately after the reversing and controlling mechanism.

On her trials held immediately after the engine installation was completed, the Cethana's engines developed 512.7 h. p. with a mean effective pressure of 36.47 lbs. to the square inch. This, although the hull was foul, gave the vessel a speed of 10.5 knots.

The Cethana, commanded by Capt. H. Binning, departed on her maiden voyage to Australia after loading 230 tons of steel plate at Tacoma, 1,200 tons of paper at Powell River and lumber at Everett. She is proceeding to Australia via Honolulu.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

San Francisco, Oct. 21.—Sailed Saturday: Str. Governor, for Seattle, via Victoria. Arrived: Str. Lyman Stewart, from Vancouver, via Seattle. Tacoma, Oct. 21.—Arrived, Sunday: Str. Admiral Wainwright, from Seattle. Sailed, Saturday: Str. Elhu Thomson, for Akutan. Sailed, Sunday: Str. Regulus, for Seattle.

Seattle, Oct. 21.—Arrived, Sunday: Str. Prince George, from Pifce Rupert. Sailed, Sunday: Str. Jefferson, for Southeastern Alaska ports. Str. Admiral Wainwright, for San Francisco, via Tacoma; str. Prince George, for Prince Rupert.

AT THE LAVENDER LANTERN.

I wonder who is haunting the little snug cafe.
That place, half restaurant and home, since we have gone away.
The candle-dimmed, smoke and talk, and tables brown and bare—
But no one thinks of tablecloths when love and laughter's there.

I wonder who is crowding still three steps below the street,
Half hidden from the passing town, where even poets eat.
I wonder if the girls still laugh, the girls whose art was play.
I wonder who the fellows are that try to make them gay.

Some said it was Bohemia, this little haunt we knew—
Where hearts were high and fortunes low, and onions in the stew.
I wonder if it's still the same, the after dinner case—
Bohemia is in the heart, and hearts are overcast.

Oh, great were all the problems that we settled there, with wine,
And fates of many nations were disposed of, after wine.
But France has braved a fate that brought us swarming to her shore—
I wonder who is sitting at the table near the door.

I wonder who is haunting the little snug cafe,
That place, half restaurant and home, since we have gone away.
I wonder if the girls still laugh, the girls whose art was play.
I wonder who the fellows are that try to make them gay.

As long as there are art and girls, and onions in the stew,
Private Charles Divine.

A gentleman had been celebrating his birthday not wisely but too well, and at half-past two in the morning he found himself reclining at full length on the pavement in the neighborhood of Hyde Park Corner. After he had been dosing for a few moments, however, a policeman came along, and tapping him on the shoulder, said: "Here, you must get along home; you can't sleep here. Where d'yer live?" For a moment there was no reply, then very slowly and indistinctly came: "Watshie—that you shay?" "Where do you live—and what's yer name?" repeated the policeman. No reply. "Who are you?" shouted the policeman. The bumbling one eyed him sleepily. "Look here, officer," he said, "you just go along to No. — and ask if Mr. Smith is in. If he's out, then ask me; but if he's in, I don't know who I am."



HOW TO SEE GHOSTS.

Have you seen a ghost? Much has been heard lately of apparitions; distinguished men like Sir Arthur Conan Doyle and Sir Oliver Lodge have declared their belief in them.

The reports of famous professors incline to the explanation that "ghosts" are really after-images impressed on the retina, or membrane screen, of the eye. All images remain on the retina for a certain time after they are seen. Should the person enter a dark room the image will remain for a longer time and the return to the light will cause the image to reappear.

Sometimes these images are seen in their original colors, at others in different colors. The latter phenomena are illustrated by the simple experiment of looking at some red object and then turning the eyes to a white wall. You will probably see a blue spot on the wall, due to the fact that part of the color-perceiving nerves of the eye are tired, so only the remainder are being used. Similarly, if the light is strong enough, the after-image will be black, only regaining the original colors as the nerves become rested.

A distinguished scientist has revived an after-image artificially by means of the following experiment: After remaining in darkness for some minutes he flashed a light on to his hand. He then went to bed in total darkness and slept through the night. Before opening his eyes in the morning he again flashed a light, but this time on his eyes. By this means, he revived the after-image of his hand in front of him, although he had not seen it since the previous night. —Tit-Bits.

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VICTORIA THE NORTHWEST WORLD

MUNITION WORKERS AND VETERANS WIN IN LEAGUE SOCCER

Latest League Entrants Obtained Easy Victory Over Shipyard Eleven

CITY SOCCER COMPETITION.

Fragments, 3; James Island, 0. Scoring: Bloom (2) and Harper. Imperial Munitions Board, 5; Foundation, 2. Scoring: Watt (4) and McGill (1); Stott (2) for Foundation.

With the Victoria Wests again out of the competition through Spanish influenza regulations, and only two games in the City League being played, the Fragments from France seized the opportunity of placing themselves further ahead in the fight for the trophy by netting a couple of points at the expense of the James Island eleven. The Imperial Munitions Board eleven won their second game in the series by beating the Foundation Company decisively to the tune of five to two. Manager Locke has gathered together a clever bunch of players from the Imperial Munitions plant, and the combination and dash they showed in Saturday's game make them a team well worth watching.

James Island v. Fragments. The Islanders kicked off against a slight wind and the Fragments attacked from the outset. Bloom, beating both backs, drove a hot shot against the upright. The Fragments transferred the ball to the other end. McDougal put in a shot which Townsend saved. The half was fought out in a ding-dong style and ended with neither side scoring.

Bowers kicked off for the Fragments in the second half and at once attacked. McDougal passed to Bloom, who beat the backs and drove a hot shot against the upright. The Islanders attacked, but Gomm cleared. Pitts set his forwards going. Harper scored the ball. Bloom received and running in scored a splendid goal. It was the Fragments' game now. Harper, beating the backs, scored the third and last goal of the game.

The Fragments had McDougal playing for the first time in the season. It will be remembered "Mac" broke his knee last year against the Wests. J. G. Bloom, McMillan, Freeman, McDougal and Gomm all played well for the Returned Men. McDougal, White and Brown were the pick of the James Island eleven.

Munition Workers Triumph. The victory of five goals to two made by the I. M. B. aggregation against the Foundation Company was a triumph of combination and the dashing concentrated efforts of the munition workers well earned them their first two points registered in the league. It was a good, clean game, witnessed by a large crowd of interested spectators. Stott proved himself a useful man for the shipyard workers and netted both the goals scored by his eleven. He opened the scoring five minutes after the game began with a shot that gave Douglas, the I. M. B. goalkeeper, little chance to save. All the goals scored by the Munition Workers were registered in the second half. A combined dash down the field in which the passing was almost perfect resulted in the first goal being scored by Watt after Barnes had saved several good shots, but was unable to make a complete clearance. One hard spell of attack by the shipyard workers gave Douglas an opportunity to show his ability between the sticks, but Stott managed to get by him again with a stinging shot that deserved to score. Before the final whistle went McGill and Watt again found the net.

The League Table.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Fragments	4	3	0	1	6
Wests	2	2	0	0	4
Navy	3	2	1	0	4
Garrison	3	1	1	1	3
Foundation	4	1	2	1	3
James Island	4	1	3	0	2
I. M. B.	3	1	1	0	2
Yarrows	2	0	1	1	1
Willows	2	0	2	0	0

FIRST RUGBY GAME WENT TO ISLAND CLUB

Imperial Munitions Board Fifteen Includes Some Speedy Players

By a score of four tries, twelve points to one goal, five points, the Victoria and Island Athletic Association scored the first victory in the rugby games this season against the Imperial Munitions Board. While the several stars of the rugby game made their appearance, there were several new men in the game. They proved that they have all the speed and weight needed, and with little more experience should become proficient in the handling code. There was a good turn out to witness the game. The I. M. B. men have some clever rugby artists in their ranks, although Manager Locke's policy of selecting his players from the munition workers only proves a great strain when called upon to supply two teams of footballers every week. Dal Thomas, the old Welsh International, was the outstanding player in the game and helped the V. I. A. men register the points in the first half, which netted them the victory. When he changed over and helped the I. M. B. men in the second half, he showed what a difference one man can make in the game by helping the munition workers to have the better of the game during the last interval. Boyd Sims came back in the game with all his old-time pep although it has been some time since he first played the rugby game. Honeychurch, Lockie and Couch were the pick of the I. M. B. players. The line-up was as follows:

V. I. A.—Fullback, Featherstone; three-quarters, Thompson, Thomas, Cowan and Lineham; halves, Lennie and Grubb; forwards, Davies, Boyd-Tims, Andrews, Carter, Winsby, Sergi, Watson and Sergi Middleton.
I. M. B.—Fullback, Lineham; three-quarters, Thomas, Honeychurch, James and Allott; halves, Pierce and Staples; forwards, Couch, Clark, Williams, Hopkins, Kennedy, Cashey and Thompson.

ATHLETE KILLED HAD WON MILITARY MEDAL



CORPORAL ADAM C. KNOX

a member of the well-known sporting family who had seen much service in France, and had won a Military Medal before he fell in action.

TUG-OF-WAR VICTORS AFTER MORE SCALPS

The Point Ellice yard of the Foundation Company having beaten their rivals the Point Hope yard of the same Company are now desirous of staging more matches. In a hard seven minute struggle Saturday they obtained the decision, and now they are throwing out challenges to the Navy, the Army and the Police. They also state they would like a match with the Vancouver guardians of the law. Their experienced coach Alf Simmons, has pulled on tug-of-war teams in England, which figured in championship events at the Crystal Palace, and he has a team of husky rope men, and an anchor man that justifies him in throwing out the challenges with such freedom. His team Saturday was composed of Alf Simmons (captain and coach), J. MacDonald, C. Hoyt, H. Stuart, J. May, T. Hooper (anchor man), H. Woods, C. Chivers, R. MacLeod, H. McIntosh and S. Clark.

BONES IN BIG DRIVE WANTS THE HOME NEWS



BONES ALLEN.

Pte. A. J. Allen, more familiarly known to the lacrosse fraternity as "Bones," is still carrying on for the big game. In a recent letter to the sporting editor of The Daily Province the veteran Vancouver player, who has many friends in this city and was a familiar figure on the games in Victoria, with the visiting team from the Mainland, states that he has been at the front for some time and is just now taking a hand in the big drive. "Bones" went overseas with a draft from the British Columbia division of the Canadian Army Medical Corps. He wishes to be remembered to all enquiring friends. His address is Pte. A. J. Allen, No. 32537, Canadian Army Medical Corps, C. E. F., France.

NEGRO SPRINTER MAKES SENSATIONAL RETURN

New York, Oct. 19.—The remarkable athletic "comeback" of Howard Drew, the negro sprinter, running in the colors of Drake University, at the recent championship meet of the Conference College, is undoubtedly the outstanding feature of the intercollegiate track season. By winning both the 100 and 220-yard dashes from the fastest fields that the Middle Western colleges could boast, Drew demonstrated that his victories were not due to either accident or lack of formidable opponents. If any further proof were needed, the time would amply attest the high standard of Drew's sprinting, as he ran the 100 in ten seconds flat and the 220 in 22.5 seconds. When it is taken into consideration that Drew is twenty-eight years old and has been competing for thirteen years, during which time he has won numerous victories and equaled world's record time in both these events, it can be seen that his latest triumphs are little short of athletic marvels.

OTTAWAS WILL COME AFTER MINTO CUP

National Lacrosse Union Champions Travel West for World Honors

Ottawa, Oct. 21.—The Ottawa Hockey Club, which holds the championship of the National Lacrosse Union, will send its team to Vancouver next May to play the Vancouver team, champions of the coast, for the Minto Cup, and the World's Championship.

This announcement was made Saturday following a conference between Con. Jones, President of the Vancouver club, and officers of the Ottawa. "We in the west always have recognized the National Union champions as the best team in the East," said Mr. Jones in discussing the situation. "I am convinced that it would be advisable to have the cup games in the West next summer. While the Ottawa was could not afford to pay us a guarantee sufficient to bring out teams East, we have drawn large crowds at Vancouver, and are ready to pay the expenses of the Ottawas if they come West. I will personally guarantee sufficient money for this purpose, as I love lacrosse and am willing to do my utmost to help it along."

"Consequently, I have made a proposition to the Ottawas that they play us two games at the coast for the Minto Cup. We would like to have the first or the second match on May 24. I have made this proposition to the Ottawa Club, and they have promised to give me a definite reply at an early date."

Mr. Jones left Saturday night for Toronto, and will go thence to Los Angeles, taking with him his son Tom, who was in the Royal Air Force and who has been seriously ill with pneumonia. Mrs. Jones also will accompany them to California. Another of Mr. Jones's boys was laid up and on this account they were delayed here for several days.

The Ottawa Club will meet this week to discuss Mr. Jones's suggestion and it is probable that the invitation will be accepted and a challenge for the Minto Cup filed at once.

SATURDAY'S GAMES IN OLD COUNTRY SOCCER

Results in London Combination, Midland, and Scottish Leagues

London, Oct. 20.—Following are the results of scheduled English League football games played yesterday on the grounds of the first-named clubs:

London Combination.
Brentford, 4; Millwall Athletic, 2.
Chelsea, 4; Woolwich Arsenal, 1.
Clapton Orient, 1; Fulham, 4.
Tottenham Hotspur, 2; Crystal Palace, 0.

Midland Section.
Birmingham, 2; Bradford, 0.
Bradford City, 2; Leicester Fosse, 0.
Grimsby Town, 0; Notts Forest, 2.
Huddersfield Town, 4; Coventry, 1.
Lincoln City, 1; Leeds City, 0.
Notts County, 1; Hull City, 0.
Rotherham, 2; Sheffield United, 4.
Sheffield Wednesday, 2; Barnsley, 0.

Lancashire Section.
Blackpool, 0; Manchester City, 3.
Burnley, 1; Preston North End, 5.
Bury, 3; Oldham Athletic, 0.
Liverpool, 0; Bolton Wanderers, 0.
Manchester United, 1; Everton, 1.
Southport Central, 3; Rochdale, 3.
Stockport County, 3; Burslem Port Vale, 0.

Scottish League.
Airdrieonians, 1; Dumbarton, 1.
Ayr United, 2; Queen's Park, 0.
Celtic, 0; Rangers, 3.
Clydebank, 3; Falkirk, 2.
Hibernians, 0; Hearts, 0.
Motherwell, 2; Morton, 0.
Partick Thistle, 0; Hamilton Academicals, 3.
St. Mirren, 2; Clyde, 1.
Third Lanark, 3; Kilmarnock, 4.

SEVENTEEN YEARS OLD, WINS BIG CYCLE RACE

Toronto, Oct. 20.—A seventeen-year-old lad, F. E. Cassidy, of the Classic Bicycle Club, was first home in the 25th Dunlop trophy twenty-mile bicycle road race on the Kingston Road yesterday afternoon. He started from the twelve-minute mark and finished a quarter mile in front of G. E. Mackay, the thirteen-year-old son of G. L. Mackay, the well-known C. W. A. official, and an old road rider, while Tom Ford, a veteran rider, finished the ride from the 11-minute mark.

James Lowry, of the Classics, starting from the one-minute mark, beat Harold Bounsmill, of the Classics, the solitary scratch man, and won the time prize, while the team prize also went to the Classics.

Immediately after the race was over a protest was entered on the ground that Cassidy had taken advantage of organized pacing during the race, whereupon G. L. Mackay, father of the second lad home, G. E. Mackay, protested to Robert Falconer, the starter. There were forty-eight starters and 8,000 persons saw the big handicap event.

AMERICAN FOOTBALL

At Easton, Pa.: Lafayette, 37; Ursinus, 0.
At Hanover, N. H.: Dartmouth, 30; Norwich, 0.
At Cleveland—Cleveland Naval Reserve, 20; Western Reserve, 6.
At Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania, 27; Battleship Minnesota, 6.
At Washington: Washington and Jefferson, 48; Camp Sherman, 9.

TOMMY BURNS SERIOUSLY ILL WITH SPANISH FLU



TOMMY BURNS

Vancouver, Oct. 21.—Sergt. Tommy Burns, ex-heavyweight champion of the world, and now boxing instructor for the First Depot Battalion at Hastings Park, has been attacked by the Spanish influenza and was taken to the hospital Sunday afternoon. It is reported that his condition is serious, the malady having attacked in its most virulent form.

GOLFER WHO LOOPS HAS BAD DISEASE

Serious Fault, Which Must Be Immediately Corrected, Says Expert

About the easiest of all serious faults for one to acquire is that of looping, says Charles "Chick" Evans, Jr., in a golf article on looping. Its result is usually very disastrous and a player who has this disease must get over it as soon as possible. By looping, of course, one simply means that the ascending and descending stroke describe different lines—a sort of a bow. Years ago I used to call it the pig-tail stroke. Looping usually results in the backward ascending movement being drawn too close to the body, and when the player attempts to bring the club-head back to the proper line, he completes the loop. The club has been brought back inside the proper direction line, and it descends outside the line.

There are a number of other ways from which looping results, and it is well for a player to know them. Looping also comes when one forces a shot, and the man who takes but a half stroke is particularly susceptible to the fault. I have heard some professionals teach the method of trying to "throw" the clubhead "out," phrases with which, I am sure, my golfers will be familiar. I do not believe in this method, for it, too, produces looping. The player who has the fault of looping need not, however, feel discouraged with his game, for there are many fine players who have this tendency and guard against it constantly. A prominent example is Jerome Travers, especially in the wooden shots. These are the principal causes of looping. A player who has this fault should be able to determine which of the above is responsible in his case. So now let us look at the remedy.

Every golfer knows that theoretically, and practically as far as possible, the ascending and descending strokes should describe the same line. Now, then, the player should carry the imaginary line out into the air by the upstroke in mind, and always start the club hitting into that identical line. It is pretty nearly impossible to make the down-stroke correctly if the up-stroke is wrong. Many players who loop do not make the half-turn to the right completely enough. At the top of the back-stroke the shoulders should be at right angle to the first position. I point out these faults for their value, but I want to make it clear here to my readers that they must learn to do these things automatically. It would be impossible for me, and I believe any other player, to play golf as well if I had to give attention to such details. I have practiced all these details until they are a regular part of my play and in an actual match I think nothing about them. A player must simply bring the clubhead back and upward to a point and start it down and forward along the same line. In coming down do not throw out your right arm. Hold it close to the body. There is an effort to bring the clubhead up to the proper striking position; but this is because the club is drawn in too fast to the body. At the height of the back stroke the left arm should be practically straight.

INTERNATIONAL GOLF HAS BEEN SUGGESTED

New York, Oct. 19.—According to a member of the British recruiting mission who has been stationed on this side for the past few months, international golf matches between the United States and England, either annually or every other year, are sure to be arranged as soon as the war is over. The close friendship that has already sprung up between the two countries as a result of fighting in a common cause side by side is sure to be cemented when peace finally arrives, and the result will be highly beneficial to the "grand old game."

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The sum of \$80,227 has been won by horses from this barn to the present time.

Cudgel is the leading money winner in the Ross establishment and the Canadian sportsman has taken down in stakes and purses the sum of \$79,127.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin. Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 21.—5 a. m.—The barometer is rising along the Coast and fair, colder weather is becoming general in B. C. Since yesterday an ocean storm area has crossed this Province to Alberta and Saskatchewan, where it is causing westerly gales.

	Max.	Min.
Barkerville	59	50
Trail	60	50
Portland, Ore.	62	50
Seattle	64	48
San Francisco	74	58
Cranebrook	65	50
Penticton	65	50
Nelson	58	48
Calgary	70	54
Edmonton	64	42
Qu'Appelle	54	42
Winnipeg	54	30
Toronto	59	48
Ottawa	50	48
Montreal	48	48
Halifax	54	48

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.15; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 46; wind, 12 miles W.; rain, .01; weather, clear.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 46; wind, 10 miles S. W.; rain, trace; weather, clear.

FLIVVER DREAMS BARRED.

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TRUANT OFFICER wanted by Victoria School Board. Apply in writing to the Secretary of the Board, Box 52, Victoria, B. C. 021-9

WANTED—A page boy. Apply Empress Hotel. 021-9

WANTED—Handy man; good wages and steady job, if suitable. "Nag" Paint Co., Ltd., 1362 Wharf St., City. 021-4

MOTOR TRUCK DRIVER wanted. Apply Victoria Baggage Co., Fort St. 021-3

WANTED—Strong boy, with wheel, for delivery. A. J. Woodward, 615 Fort St. 021-4

WANTED—Milk driver for afternoon delivery. Apply 1111 Fort St., City. 021-8

SMART BOY, for delivering parcels, etc., also to assist in warehouse. Apply Outta Percha & Rubber, Ltd., 564 Yates Street. 021-8

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SITUATIONS WANTED-MALE

WELL EDUCATED ENGLISHMAN wishes position with high-class business firm on outside work, financial and real estate preferred, but not essential; has own car available; references. Box 151, Times. 021-9

PRIVATE TUITION given in bookkeeping, shorthand, mathematics and general school subjects. Apply Box 142, Times, or Phone 5451. 021-9

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SITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALE

WANTED—Position by experienced lady bookkeeper and stenographer. Box 188, Times. 021-11

YOUNG CANADIAN WOMAN, whose husband is at the front, wishes employment, for part or whole of day, in small store or family. Box 135, Times. 021-11

HELP WANTED-FEMALE

WANTED—Young girl, for candy factory. Wipac's, 634 Cormorant Street. 021-9

HOUSEKEEPER, for city hotel. Apply Box 238, Times. 021-9

WANTED—Waitresses at Strathcona Hotel. Apply at Hotel Office. 021-9

WANTED—Young lady as housekeeper to widower with two children. Apply 1817 Douglas Street. 021-9

WANTED—A girl to take care of small child. Apply after 7 p.m. Box 178, Times. 021-9

WANTED—Experienced lady bookkeeper, capable of handling correspondence; no others need apply. Box 4716, Times. 021-9

B. WISE, use TONIFORM for your next shampoo. It's speedy, safe and sure. 50c and 75c. Drug stores and barbers. 9

A FRESH STOCK of cycle tires and tubes at Filmer's, 611 View Street.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE

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WANTED—Competent laundress, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. M. R. Rithet, 1293 Rockland. Phone 1283. 021-9

WANTED—Young girl to assist with house work, Oak Bay, part of day. Phone 4187. 021-9

WANTED—Lady stenographer, with some experience. Apply 685, Cormorant St. Import Woolen Co. 021-9

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PUMED OAK DRESSER, \$10; 4-hole Albion range, \$14; washing machine, \$4; odd chairs, table, two iron beds, etc. Apply 2247 Bowker Ave. 021-12

FOR SALE—Baby buggy, collapsible; also play pen; both in splendid condition. Apply 19 Alandale Apartments, Linden Avenue, morning. 021-12

THE NEW NAME—Victoria, British Columbia. See Jones, 827 Fort St., for sectional chicken houses and rabbit hutches. 021-12

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FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS

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MODERN HOUSE at low rental, best part of Oak Bay, seven rooms, furnace, open fireplace, incoming tenant must purchase furniture. \$425. Phone 6439R. 021-16

SMALL FURNISHED HOUSE, rent \$9. Phone 2891R. 021-16

FOR RENT—Furnished house, Graham, off Hillside. Phone 155, Times. 021-16

FURNISHED, six-room, modern house, near car. R. N. Ferguson, Pemberton Block. 021-16

TO LET-MISCELLANEOUS

APARTMENTS AND STORES to rent. Apply G. Smith, 1448 Camosun Street. 021-19

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SYLVESTER APARTMENTS—Double and single suites; also a few rooms for lodgers. 715 Yates Street. Phone 5430. 021-14

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FURNISHED ROOMS

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BALMORAL AUTO STAND—Seven-passenger autos for hire. Jas. Morgan. Phone 2789-2702L. 21

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS
BORN.
FORD—At Colquhoun, B. C., on October 19,
to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Ford, a son.
MASON—On the 16th inst., at 2375
Woodlawn Crescent, to Mr. and Mrs.
C. H. Mason, a son.
SMITH—At Rutherford's Maternity
Home, 2111 Shagouke Street, on
October 19, to Mr. and Mrs. H. J.
Smith, of 46 Sims Ave., a daughter.

DIED.
KNOX—Killed in action, somewhere in
France, on September 27, Corporal
Adam Cupped Knox, 1st Canadian
Motor Machine Gun Brigade, young-
est son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John
A. Knox, aged 23 years.

JOHNSTON—On October 19, 1918, of
phthisia, at the Vancouver General
Hospital, Pre Harry Cheffert John-
ston, son of the late Mr. R. Johnston,
of Vancouver, aged 23 years. Burial
at Victoria on Tuesday, 22nd inst.

RAIL—On the 20th inst., at his home,
1521 Pembroke Street, William Wil-
liam Rait, aged 73 years, born in
Cornwall, England, and a resident
of this city for the past 37 years. He is
survived by his widow, and a son,
and nine nieces and seven nephews.
He was a member of Dominion Lodge,
No. 4, I. O. O. F.

The funeral will take place on Wednes-
day, the 22nd inst., at 11 o'clock, from the
Sands Funeral Chapel, Rev. Osborne will
officiate, and interment will be made at
Ross Bay Cemetery. No flowers, by request.

BUTHER—On the 18th inst., at Finlay-
son Ave., suddenly, result of accident,
William Butther, aged 39 years, a
native of England, and a resident
here for the past 5 years. He is sur-
vived by his widow, and a son, and
nine nieces and seven nephews.
He was a member of Dominion Lodge,
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day, the 22nd inst., at 11 o'clock, from the
Sands Funeral Chapel, Rev. Osborne will
officiate, and interment will be made at
Ross Bay Cemetery. No flowers, by request.

ESNOFF—On the 20th inst., at St.
Joseph's Hospital, Alfred W. Esnoff,
a native of Jersey Island, and a resi-
dent here for many years, a member
of Far West Lodge, Knights of
Pythias.

Remains are resting at the Thomson
Funeral Chapel. Time of funeral will be
announced later.

YAMATO—On the 20th inst., Taketaro
Yamato, born in Japan, aged 39 years.
Remains at the Thomson Funeral
Chapel. Funeral announcement later.

GRANT—On Sunday, Oct. 20, 1918, at the
residence, 188 Beachwood Ave., Lena,
beloved wife of Dr. James F. Grant,
aged 38 years, born at Nanaimo, B.C.
The remains will repose at the B. C.
Funeral Chapel until Tuesday morning,
and the funeral will take place from the
late residence as above on Tuesday after-
noon at 3.30 o'clock. Rev. F. J. Chadwick
officiating. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

FLINT—At Grace Rupert, B. C., on Oct.
19, 1918, Gerald Dudley, beloved and
only son of the late Arthur St. George
and Mary E. Flint, of 1243 Richardson
Street, aged 25 years.

The remains will be sent to this city for
interment, and due notice of the funeral
will be given.

ANDERSON—On Sunday, Oct. 20, 1918,
Lilly Florence, second daughter of
Captain and Mrs. John Anderson, of
1117 Dufferin Street, aged 20 years,
born at Victoria, B. C.

The remains are resting at the B. C.
Funeral Chapel, and due notice of the
funeral will be given.

ORMOND—On the 20th inst., at 1039
Terrace Ave., Victoria, Ormond, a
native of Peterborough, Ontario, and
a resident of Victoria for the past 15
years. She is survived by her father,
J. R. Ormond, of Victoria, and three
sisters, Mrs. Staddon, of Toronto, Mrs.
Gooding, of Kenora, Ontario, and
Mrs. J. T. McDonald, of Victoria;
two brothers, A. R. Ormond, of Victoria,
and O. R. Ormond.

Funeral service from the Thomson's
Funeral Chapel on Thursday, Oct. 24,
at 2.30, Rev. J. G. Inkster officiating.
Funeral private. No flowers, by request.

BANISTER—On Oct. 19, 1918, at the
residence, 1266 Oscar Street, Agnes
Wallace, beloved wife of A. E.
Banister, aged 23 years, born near
Edinburgh, Scotland.

Funeral will take place to-morrow,
Tuesday, at 10.45 a.m., from B.C. Funeral
Chapel, and 11 o'clock from Christ
Church.

CARD OF THANKS.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Gold and family wish
to thank their many friends for kind
words of sympathy in the loss of a loving
son and brother, who was killed in action
in France, September 29.

CARD OF THANKS.
Corp. J. W. Bolton and family wish
to thank their many friends for the kind
expressions of sympathy during their
recent and improvement, also for the
floral offerings.

A GENERAL STRIKE VOTE AT WINNIPEG

Workers Deciding Whether to
Strike in Opposition to
Ottawa Order

Winnipeg, Oct. 21.—The labor leaders in Winnipeg are showing determined opposition to the no-strike legislation of the Dominion Government, and if the same spirit is evinced among the rank and file of the workers, a general strike of all bodies affiliated with the Winnipeg Trades and Labor Council appears inevitable.

The leaders of the various factions were in consultation Saturday night and the decision arrived at was definite. Every member was said to favor a general strike, and it was decided to take steps with this end in view without delay. Ballots are being issued to every individual whose union is affiliated with the Winnipeg Trades Council, so that the general feeling may be gauged. The taking of this vote probably will occupy three or four days, and should the consensus of opinion prove to be in accord with the views of the leaders, a general strike may follow toward the end of the week.

TANK BATTALION MEN FROM CANADA REACH OLD COUNTRY

Ottawa, Oct. 21.—It is announced through the Chief Press Censor's office that the following troops have arrived in England: Tank battalion draft No. 177, Petawawa; tank battalion draft No. 178, reinforcements; Petawawa; tank battalion draft No. 179, reinforcements; Petawawa; B.E.F. recruits; Halifax; casualty section details, Halifax; medical officers, Newfoundland draft and details.

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NEAR VALENCIENNES RAILWAY LINE NOW

British Have Straightened Line
Between Denain and Le
Cateau Region

London, Oct. 21.—South of the Scheidt in France, British troops have straightened the line between Denain and Le Cateau and are within three or four miles of the Valenciennes railway line.

The Allies also have straightened out their line between the Oise and the Serre and French troops are engaged in heavy fighting on the strongly-fortified Hunting Line.

With the Canadian Forces, Oct. 20, via London, Oct. 21.—(By J. F. B. Livesay, Canadian Press Correspondent.)—After capturing a series of villages on our right flank, including Louches, a western Ontario battalion yesterday entered Denain. The line was then established east of Escaudin, Hornaing to east of Wandignieshamme.

New York, Oct. 21.—Marshal Foch, replying to the felicitations of Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George on his sixtieth birthday on October 2, gave the British Prime Minister credit for placing him in supreme command, according to the text of a telegram made public here to-day by the British Bureau of Information.

The message of Mr. Lloyd George read: "Please accept my sincere congratulations on your birthday. I feel particular pleasure in addressing you at this moment when the Allied armies under your command are making such formidable strides. I do not know whether I should admire your marvelous skill as a commander or your indomitable courage and the unshaken faith in victory which you have shown in the course of this war."

Marshal Foch replied: "I am greatly touched by your congratulations and thank you sincerely. I do not forget that it is to your insistence that I owe the position which I occupy to-day. The sure sign of the glorious days awaiting our armies is to be found in the perfect unity which exists now between all the Allied forces."

GEN. E. F. JAMONT SUCCUMBS IN PARIS

Paris, Oct. 21.—(Havas.)—The death of General Edouard Fernand Jamont was announced to-day.

General Jamont was born in 1831. After graduating from the military college in 1852, he entered the artillery and fought in campaigns in the Crimea, Italy and China. In 1893 he was appointed a member of the Supreme War Council. He was retired in 1909.

SHIPPING BOARD OF U. S. IS ASKING \$120,000,000 MORE

Washington, Oct. 21.—An additional \$120,000,000 for ship construction, making a total for that purpose of \$4,000,000, was asked of Congress to-day by the United States Shipping Board. The Senate Appropriations Committee was asked to include the increase in the military deficiency bill, now under consideration.

Excellent display of events of yesterday in pictures. Young's studio, 1 on Bank entrance.

Three German Papers Tell Kaiser Wilhelm to Quit the Throne

London, Oct. 21.—The abdication of Kaiser Wilhelm and the repudiation of his rights by the Crown Prince are the only means of solving Germany's present "terrible crisis," according to statements of The Munich Post, The Swabische Tagblatt and The Frankische Morgenpost, in an exchange of telegraphic dispatch from Zurich says. It is added that the more rapidly the abdication is brought about, the better for the country.

ABOUT 1,300 CASES IN VANCOUVER NOW

Spanish Influenza Epidemic in
Mainland City Continues
to Grow

Vancouver, Oct. 21.—With the number of Spanish influenza cases in Vancouver hovering around the 1,300 mark, the health department and medical staffs of the city this morning were increasing their efforts to combat the epidemic.

Six deaths among civilians and two among the soldiers were reported up to last night, making a total of thirty-three deaths from causes either directly or indirectly due to the malady, which appears to be spreading slowly. Not a section of the epidemic has been reported by the health authorities this morning numbered 198, making the total of officially known cases 1,275. Two additional deaths also were reported.

The doctors are working day and night on the giving the best that is in them to check the epidemic, but the staff of medical men, which was none too large by reason of the number on duty with the military forces overseas, has been reduced to a material extent. Thirty physicians are ill with influenza and other troubles, and two of them, Dr. E. J. Patterson, who saw service at Salonica, and Dr. W. C. Swenerton are reported to be very low.

At Nanaimo.

Nanaimo, Oct. 21.—Three deaths directly traceable to the influenza have occurred here in the past twenty-four hours. Mr. and Mrs. August Lami, Swedish residents of Chase River, died in the local hospital within a few hours of each other yesterday and an old colored woman, Mrs. Eva Kirk, died this morning. In all there have been reported to the medical health officer 223 cases of the disease, among the latest victims of the epidemic being two of the local medical men, Doctors Wilkes and Burnham.

Must Wear Masks.

Calgary, Oct. 21.—From to-day all passengers travelling in Alberta by any of the railroads must wear masks as a precautionary measure against the spread of Spanish influenza. An order has been issued by the Provincial Board of Health. These instructions will be rigidly enforced and no person will be allowed to board a train unless he has a mask in his possession.

CRIMINALS STARTED LOCOMOTIVES AND DID DAMAGE AT CALGARY

Calgary, Oct. 21.—A malicious attempt at destruction of property, and possible loss of life was reported this morning by the C.P.R. officials here. Two engines standing at Alhambra station in the Calgary limits, one near a water tank and the other at a coal chute, were started. The first engine collided with another engine, while the one at the coal chute ran clear through the wall of the nearby roundhouse. In each case considerable damage was done.

The officials of the company positively state that the engines were left with the throttles closed and the levers on centre. When found the throttles were wide open and the levers on the forward gear.

ARTILLERY FIGHTING ON ITALIAN FRONT

Rome Oct. 21.—Active artillery fighting in the Grappa region and along the Piave River is reported to-day by the War Office. Prisoners were taken by French troops at Sison. In the Grappa region Italian troops dispersed an enemy outpost.

BUSINESS IN BRAZIL SUSPENDED TO FIGHT SPANISH INFLUENZA

Rio de Janeiro, Oct. 21.—The Brazilian Government has decided that every day is a holiday until the epidemic of influenza has subsided.

In the summer one fights a missile and a very little fighting in a shade temperature (there is no shade) of 110 goes a very long way. In the winter one fights a lot, but not enough to please people in arm chairs.

But why attempt to depict the undepictable? Try to imagine the Lucky Fellow in the East fighting a million flies in the above-mentioned shade temperature, drinking hot water, perpetually thirsty, perpetually plagued by vile creatures, bitten by everything and bitten all the time, with just a touch of fever to intensify each plague a hundredfold. Without a single soothing reaction. (iced water after a fiery march is a soothing reaction, so is dinner in a decent cafe after a month up the line.) Fighting the Turk or Bulgur most of the time and most of the time all the time. Well, if that is slightly exaggerated it is not nearly so exaggerated in the other sense as the fate you imagine he is enjoying.

Respect such a one, be profoundly grateful to him, use your imagination about him, but for heaven's sake don't envy him!

RISE IN COST OF LIVING IN STATES

Washington, Oct. 21.—Retail prices of food in the United States increased four per cent. from August 15 to September 15; fourteen per cent. from September, 1917, to September, 1918, and seventy-two per cent. from September, 1918, to September, 1918, the Bureau of Labor Statistics announces to-night.

POLITICAL CAMPAIGN IN U. S.

Washington, Oct. 21.—The Democratic congressional campaign this fall will be directed by Homer S. Cummings, of Connecticut, vice-chairman of the Democratic National Committee. Mr. Cummings, it was said, temporarily will replace Chairman of the War Trade Board, who is chairman

CAMPAGNING IN THE NEAR EAST

By "Returned Exile."

While looking through a copy of that excellent little paper, The Palestine News, I came across a plaintive ditty entitled "To the Boys in France," in which the bard remarked:

"We know you get the biggest scraps,"
"We know such times are thin."
"But come and see our files! Our dust! Try to do old Jacko in!"

"I've talked with boys who've fought with you,
Who now support us here,
And often have I heard them cry,
"Send us back to France, old dear!"

Never mind the rhyming and scan-sation, the slight eccentricity of which merely testifies to the author's passion and sincerity. If you, my readers, are normal persons, it will only be occasionally that you will remember there is a war on anywhere but in France, and when you do recall languidly the fact that there are campaigns going on in Mesopotamia, Palestine and Salonica, it will be but to envy the "cushy" fate of those concerned in them. "No switch lines for them," you think. "Just a nice long lane in the sun, with a quiet little scrap occasionally." No doubt many of the soldiers in France share your views for it is a characteristic of the British soldier to think that his comrades in every other theatre of war have a much better time than himself.

It was from a consciousness of this and from a desire to correct the errors implied that our bard burst into impassioned verse.

The writer once spent a year in an Eastern theatre. He frankly confesses that he rather enjoyed it, which is sufficient testimony to his impartiality. But one year, and particularly one summer, was quite enough to convince him that discomfort in such regions easily and frequently is intensified to a degree when it becomes most delicate and refined torture, and it is certainly true that nine out of ten of every hundred of his comrades heartily and faithfully longed to be sent back to France. Why? Because on the whole human beings prefer occasional danger to continuous discomfort. There is no doubt that the Western Front and plenty of it; there is danger on an Eastern Front and plenty of varied danger too, but speaking generally the antithesis holds true: Discomfort plus danger is the East; Discomfort minus danger is the West, and on the whole the British soldier prefers the latter.

What are the discomforts of the East? (How the sun-scorched exiles would grin at such a question.) First, and foremost, in evil predominance, the writer would put the FLY. About the middle of March, or earlier, the earth seems to open up and vomit forth a most varied myriad of horrid, rudimentary forms of animal life. The army begins to creep and the exiled warrior begins to curse and to groan. He knows the great fly fight has begun. British troops have learnt to hate that devil beyond all others of the horrors of the East. The sun has made his toilet and poked his nose over the horizon the fly aerodromes are swarming and the sleeper wakes. He wakes because all parts of his visible anatomy are assailed by these horrid, pestiferous devils. He rises miserably and seeks food. Breakfast consists of scooping flies out of his tea, ditto them out of his jam and bacon and beating them off his face and arms. So does dinner, and so does tea. Life is one long fly strife, but where one falls a thousand come to life. The British fly is a tame, domesticated, obliging animal compared with those voracious, glaring (how very glare!) pouncing demons of the East.

Next in the order of devilry comes the sun, that implacable, merciless tyrant who from 5 a.m. to 7 p.m., day after day, week after week, month after month, dominates and tortures the soldier. Take the slightest liberty with him and he strikes you down. He grips your water bottle till the chlorinated substance within it gets too hot to drink, so that the thirsty warrior (and he is thirsty) must take a drink of water from a tin can. He is perpetually thirsty for thirty consecutive months in an Eastern theatre) turns from it in disgust. The civilian can fight the tyrant with punka and shutters and ice, but the active soldier has no such luxuries. He is at best a tent, the temperature of which hits 120 degrees by 5 a.m. Believe me, one takes on a heavy burden with one's spine pad.

Then there is dust, the dense, solid, inevitable dust of the East, that smells hotter than anything else in the world. Likewise there are mosquitoes—excruciatingly vocal. Sand flies, microscopic, undetectable fiends which sting like hot acid; centipedes and scorpions, the sight of which turn the blood to ice (at least they did mine); vast crickets with teeth like swordblades, and ants, the writer awards the best of money to a very high place in the order of tortures.

There are fevers, Malaria, paratyphoid, dysentery, P.U.O. (unknown origin, there are several of those), Cholera, home sickness and the fever of monotony.

In France one gets some sort of civilization at times. One gets leave more or less regularly. In the East discussion of such subjects is purely academic. One lives there like a primitive savage, without that worthy's sublime ignorance of what he is missing. In the summer one fights a missile and a very little fighting in a shade temperature (there is no shade) of 110 goes a very long way. In the winter one fights a lot, but not enough to please people in arm chairs.

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HONOR CARDINAL GIBBONS.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 21.—Delegations from the Roman Catholics of France, Britain, Belgium, Ireland, Canada and Mexico joined with those from this country here Sunday in honoring Cardinal Gibbons on his fifty-first anniversary as a bishop.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

ACTIVE STOCK MARKET IN NEW YORK

Railroad Stocks Did Well With
Southern Pacific
the Best

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)
New York, Oct. 21.—The persistent conservative buying in the railroad stocks which have been in evidence for a long period is making itself felt. Southern Pacific had another magnificent rise to-day, making a gain nearly seven points. The advance is due to the belief that the Mexican situation will shortly be adjusted in a manner to enable the company to benefit from its large investments in that country.

Shipping shares were also well taken to-day and made material gains. Mexican Petroleum which has become the show stock of the market made a loss of sixteen points from the high of the day, but the final price showed a loss of only three points from the previous close. There was a certain amount of selling in the steel stock in the last half hour and a part of the early gains lost.

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Am. Car. Fy. 44 44 44
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Am. Locomotive 68 67 67
Am. Smelt. & Ref. 92 93 93
Am. T. & Tel. 105 105 105
Am. Wool. 51 51 51
Am. Steel Fy. 87 87 87
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Aetna 96 96 96
Atlantic Gulf 105 105 105
Barnhart 81 81 81
Baltimore & Ohio 56 56 56
Bethlehem Steel 71 71 71
Butte Sup. Mining 26 26 26
Brooklyn Transit 42 42 42
Canadian Pacific 171 169 169
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Crucible Steel 56 56 56
Chesapeake & Ohio 59 59 59
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Hunt Nickel 32 32 32
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Do. pref. 122 122 122
Illinois Central 104 104 104
Kennecott Coppr. 37 37 37
Kan. City Southern 20 20 20
Lehigh Valley 62 62 62
Lack. Steel 75 75 75
Louisville & N. 120 120 120
Maxwell Motors 38 38 38
Mayfield Spring 47 47 47
Mex. Petroleum 169 172 172
Miami Copper 28 28 28
Missouri Pacific 27 27 27
Mo. Kan. & Texas 6 6 6
National Lead 63 63 63
N. Y. N. H. & Hart 42 40 40
New York Central 80 80 80
Norfolk & Western 109 109 109
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Pennsylvania R. R. 47 47 47
People's Gas 54 54 54
Pressed Steel Car 63 63 63
Reading 91 91 91
Ray Cons. Mining 25 25 25
Republic Steel 80 80 80
Southern Pacific 105 105 105
Southern Ry. com. 31 31 31
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Sloss Sheffield 55 55 55
The Texas Company 192 192 192
Union Pacific 136 136 136
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GRAIN MARKET WEAK ON PEACE TALK

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)
Chicago, Oct. 21.—The market was very strong for a time after the opening to-day. Shorts were pretty well out, it was easy to depress prices and there was a very sharp break when it was rumored that Germany would accept all terms laid down by President Wilson. The selling was helped along by the good crop reports from the Argentine. Corn broke five cents, oats were firmer but gave way under the effect of the drive on corn.

Corn— Open High Low Last
Nov. 124 125 118 124 1/2
Dec. 119 120 115 116 1/2
Oats—
Nov. 67 68 66 67 1/2
Dec. 66 67 65 66 1/2

TO-DAY'S TRADING ON WINNIPEG MARKET

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RELIEF HOSPITALS WILL BE OPENED UP TO COMBAT EPIDEMIC

Matter Will Come Up for Consideration Before City Council To-night

The establishment of an emergency hospital in the city to take care of the increasing number of "flu" cases will come up for consideration to-night at the regular meeting of the Council.

The necessity of establishing a temporary hospital has been made clear by the health authorities, and further steps will be simultaneously taken to combat the ravages of the epidemic. The Isolation Hospital is already taxed to its capacity with Spanish influenza cases and prompt action is considered essential to secure adequate accommodation for the overflow.

Dr. A. G. Price, medical health officer, announced this morning that Nurse E. Edelson has opened a temporary hospital at Temple's Hall, Victoria West, for the accommodation of pay patients.

He said that prompt measures are being taken for the opening up of additional relief hospitals. "I wish to make a further appeal to the public," said Dr. Price, "to co-operate with the health authorities by avoiding crowding, particularly in stores and restaurants."

He also commented strongly against the habit of decorating on the pavements, which greatly assisted the spread of the epidemic.

Dr. Price, through the medium of the Times, desired to express his gratitude to a large number of people, anonymous and otherwise, who have so generously forwarded comforts to the Isolation Hospital.

Up to 2 o'clock to-day the number of new influenza cases reported was forty-five, covering the period from Saturday night. This brings the total up to 806 since the epidemic started.

Run-on Drugs.

With the ravages of Spanish influenza still keeping the good people of Victoria in constant dread of an attack, the supplies of some of the staple drugs used for combating the "flu" germs are running low. However, druggists for the most part are loath to recommend remedies, for they deem it safer to let doctors do the prescribing, and to content themselves with filling subscriptions.

The greatest shortage is in cinnamon, which has been used in remarkably large quantities as an antidote for the present epidemic. The grocery stores are in many cases quite sold out of this spice, which Victorians seem to consider in the light of a panacea. Indeed, candy being flavored with it; candy, which, however great its medicinal virtues, is rather a doubtful quantity, as confectionery. Supplies of patent medicines and tablets containing formalin are also depleted. It is expected, however, that in the near future the companies will have manufactured tablets containing cinnamon in such quantities that there will be no further trouble in this regard. In the meantime the doctors are prescribing various remedies, which the druggists are supplying.

THE IDYLIC EXISTENCE.

If in the human lottery I had to choose my fate, I'd choose the soft position I'm writing to relate.

I'd like to be a general—Of a cavalry brigade. With rows and rows of ribbons. And camouflaged in braid.

I'd ride with staff and escort—Abroad in the camping ground. Or mounted facing battle. Be always steady found.

My picture in The Tatler—My write-up in The Sketch—By writing tactical pamphlets As income I would fetch.

Upon an Irish hunter I'd ride in Rotten Row—My horse bedecked in colors From the latest Fashion Show.

And when the war was over—The idol of my men—With the grateful thanks of the country I'd back to the lodge again.

From there, in my seclusion, The Commons I'd assail, As the military critic Of the London Daily Mail.

And as old I grew and childish—A peppy fire-brand—I'd reign in regal splendor as Viceroy of Ireland.

And when I left this happy world, I hope no one would weep—Only say "He's got his Blighly—Gone home to rest and sleep."

W. H.

Ladies Trimmed Hats, all medium prices at The Beehive.

Was Acquitted.—Alfred Gibson, charged with the misuse of certain moneys in a financial transaction, was acquitted in the County Court this morning. The matter occupied some time in the Court, but arose from a real estate transaction.

For Reasonable Military go to The Beehive. Tama. \$1.75. Children's Hats and Bonnets.

Men Returning.—Corporal McDonald and Private Short are the two soldiers on the list of men returning to Victoria to-day.

RUSSIAN VETERANS IN SIBERIAN FORCE

Men Who Were on Princess Adelaide Have Already Served Country Well

Probably no other military organization has gathered together more veterans than the Canadian Siberian Expeditionary Force. The call for men trained and ready to proceed to the new theatre of war with Victoria as the big training centre for the men preparing to embark on the long trip, has caused veterans with noble arrays of war ribbons sewed on their tunics as evidence of their service, to become a common sight. Among those particularly noteworthy was a gathering in a local restaurant of four campaigners who have borne the brunt of battle in the present war.

All Russians.

The four men were all Russians and between them they had ten strips of gold braid denoting the times they have shed their blood for Canada in the present crisis. As individuals they did not represent their country, as it has shown itself on the battlefield, for everyone enlisted with the Canadian forces on the outbreak of war and by offering their services to proceed to the land which has served as a prison camp for their exiled brethren, they are showing that they intend to stay in the great game until the final victory has been won. As they sat around the table they were in order of merit as regards their gold braid decorations. One man had one wound strip, the next two, the third three, and the fourth four. All four men were passengers on the Princess Adelaide when she grounded last week, so are recent additions to the already large number of warriors assembled at the Willows.

The men were reticent as to the experiences which they must have had during their service in France, but all four seemed to look forward with eagerness to the opportunity to strike a blow on another front for the country which they have already served so well. "We did not like France very much," said one of the men who elected himself as spokesman for the party. "It was not the whizzing of the shells, the ear-splitting explosions, the dangers and hardships and the perpetual mud that caused the veteran to make the remark. The only complaint he gave utterance to was 'the beer and wine does not suit Russians.' All the four men responded to Canada's call for men in 1914.

Better Equipment.

With the new force at the Willows they bore evidence of the splendid way in which they have been equipped. Warm clothing and articles which previously had no place in the military stores are being supplied to the men to help them withstand the rigors of the cold climate in which they will do their fighting. Short warm mackinaw coats favored by the men of the logging camps which give the necessary warmth without the burdensome weight of the ordinary military coats being worn by the men when at work. The ordinary service cap is substituted by the similar cap of extra thickness with ear wrappers, which can be tied under the chin, an advantage which entitles the men to wear the night cap appreciate to the full. Sweaters and Balalaava helmets, as issued to the men in France, are part of the soldiers' equipment to stand the hardships of the winter, while the Red Cross Society have come forward with usual thoroughness to provide the men with the socks so necessary to stand the heavy marching.

DON'T LIKE THE SPECIES.

Our soldiers at the front speak of shell fragments as "butterflies." They are very glad when such butterflies flutter by instead of landing.

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FINLAND AND THE WORLD WAR

From The London Chronicle.

In another article I showed how, partly from force of circumstances and partly from the skill with which Germany had made use of those circumstances, it should cause us little surprise if the Finnish Government and people look at the world war through German eyes. There may have been excellent reasons why the British Government did not follow the example of France when we were asked to recognize Finland as a free and independent republic. I prefer for the moment not to discuss that question. But what does not admit of any doubt is that our refusal or failure to recognize Finnish independence is a noble neighborliness of the Germans with their most powerful argumentative weapon. The one point upon which all Finlanders are agreed—whether they be Whites or Reds, Fennoman or Svecoman, Monarchist or Republican—is that Finland must never again be brought under Russian domination. "Why," the Germans ask, "does Great Britain refuse to recognize your independence when not only your Scandinavian neighbors but we ourselves, but Great Britain's ally, France, have accorded you that recognition?" And, in answering their own question the Germans say, "There can only be one explanation. Great Britain while posing as the protector of small nationalities still hopes to see Russia restored to her former position as a Great Power, and when Russia lays claim to Finland Great Britain wants to be in a position to lend her support to the claim."

Finland's Question.

It will be seen that the suggested answer is one of those half-truths half-lies which are more deadly than any out-and-out lie. Great Britain does want to see Russia restored to her former greatness; but unless we are to stultify the whole of our declaration as to the reasons why we are fighting, it is unthinkable that the British Government would lend its assistance to Russia, or to any other State, in fastening an alien rule upon a people unanimous in refusing to accept that rule. But while we may be quite clear on this point it should not surprise us if the Finlanders view the matter in another light. "If that is not the reason," they ask, "why does not the British Government follow the example of the French Government? What is the reason for the refusal of Great Britain to recognize us?" The question is not entirely an unreasonable one.

Of course it is easy to say that, while maintaining a facade of neutrality Finland is, in fact, willingly or unwillingly playing the part of an ally of Germany, and so far as the actual Government of the country is concerned, the events of the last two months confirm this statement. But what we have to recognize is that the present Government, composed as it is entirely of men some of whom were always strongly pro-German, inclination while others have become pro-German from the conviction that Finland has more to gain from Germany than from Germany's enemies, does not represent the feelings of the mass of the Finnish people. Among the upper classes, the university professors, the lawyers, the merchants and the great industrial leaders there are warm advocates of the German alliance, but there are equally warm opponents of such an alliance.

The men who are able to take large views, who recognize that to exchange a Russian taskmaster for a German taskmaster will not result in the establishment of a "free and independent" Finland, whether the form of government be monarchical or republican, are already asking whether they may not have paid too heavy a price even for freedom from the Red anarchy which was despoiling the land. But the vast bulk of the Finnish people are neither pro-German nor pro-Ally by conviction; they are democratic by sentiment and by tradition, tenacious of their liberties and rights, the most unpromising material out of which to evolve a popular government. And they have their neck to the Prussian yoke.

What Should Our Attitude Be?

What then should be our attitude towards a people like the Finlanders who are at this moment? If we take the crude and obvious view that those who are not with us are against us and denounce the whole of the Finnish people because the Finnish Government is playing for great stakes in these northern lands—the conversion of the Baltic into a German lake, access through Finland to the Northern Atlantic, and the hegemony of the small Baltic States which she is busily carving out of the sea—quivering with fear of the Russian colossus. So far, by our refusal to recognize the independence of Finland when we were invited to do so, and by the withholding—justified though it may be—for the time—of the food for which her starving people have paid, we have unintentionally played into the hands of Germany and have once more demonstrated that our mistakes have furnished Germany with her most effective propaganda.

Fortunately Germany has not infrequently returned the compliment, and apart from anything we can do—as to which it is perhaps not wise to say anything here—we may have the sure and comforting conviction that the German drill sergeant will prove to be our best friend and most efficient propagandist in Finland. The longer the German is brought into contact with the Finlanders the less welcome will he be in Finland. That is, however, no reason why we should not ourselves do whatever lies in our power to see that

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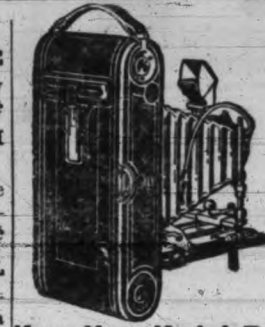
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LATE PRESIDENT WAS LEADING HEALTH EXPERT

The late Doctor Westbrooke was a member of many medical societies and boards, among them being the Minnesota State Board of Health, advisory board; Hygiene Laboratory; United States Public Health and Marine Hospital Service; Association of American Physicians; Association of American Pathologists and Bacteriologists; London Pathological Association; Pathological Society of Great Britain and Ireland; American Medical Association; Society of American Bacteriology; American Public Health Association, of which he was President in 1905; American Physiological Society; American Association for the Advancement of Science; Honorary Member of the Massachusetts Association of Boards of Health and of State, City, County and Local Associations.

WHEN JOHN BULL CHORTLES.

A little boy was reading in his Scottish history an account of the battle of Bannockburn. He read as follows: "And when the English saw the new army on the hill behind their spirits became dampened." The teacher asked the boy what was meant by "dampening their spirits." The boy, not comprehending the meaning, simply answered: "Puttin' water in their whusky."—Pearson's Weekly.

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WHY HE GRIEVED.

Describing armchair critics, a Government official recently declared that they are as ignorant as the woman who rose to address a meeting of animal lovers and said: "Can't something be done, dear friends—oh, can't something be done—to prevent horses from being scratched? The horse is man's noblest friend, and yet we read about its being scratched almost every day in the papers. The process must be very painful."

"Scratching a horse! Oh, dear friends, I'm sure it is a cruel and painful thing to do, for my husband attended the races last Saturday, and all Saturday night in his sleep he groaned and moaned and went on awfully about a horse that had been scratched. If you could have heard him, dear friends! His grief would have melted a heart of stone!"—Tit-Bits.

Be glad you saved—when Victory comes.

TENDERS WANTED FOR GARBAGE CANS.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Office Building, H. M. C. Naval Yard, Esquimaux, B. C." will be received at this office until 4 p. m. Monday, the 28th October, 1918, for the work mentioned. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned, P. O. Building, Victoria, B. C.

Each tender must be in duplicate and on the forms supplied for this purpose, accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works of Canada, equal to ten per cent. (10%) of the amount of the tender.

WM. HENDERSON,
Resident Architect,
Dept. of Public Works of Canada,
Victoria, B. C., October 19, 1918.

TENDERS WANTED FOR GARBAGE CANS.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 3 p. m. on Monday, October 22, for the supplying 600, and also for 1,000 Garbage Cans, bodies only, to be made as sample in every particular. Sample can be seen at the City Hall, Victoria, B. C., until 4 p. m. Monday, the 28th October, 1918, for the work mentioned. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned, P. O. Building, Victoria, B. C.

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Purchasing Agent,
City Hall, October 21,
Office of the Purchasing Agent,
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Pacific Milk, 2 tins	25¢
Alberta Creamery Butter, 3 lbs. for	\$1.50
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CAMPAIN FOR MORE HOMES IN THE CITY WILL BE NECESSARY THE GONZALES FARM

Scarcely Vacant Apartment in
Town; Three Thousand
Families Coming

HOUSES SELLING LIKE
HOT CAKES IN SEATTLE

Community Spirit Will Need
Backing Up by Community
Building

Seattle's civic department known as the More Homes Bureau is solving that city's housing problem in a rapid and thoroughly practical manner. According to the manager of the bureau, basing his observations on the reports of Real Estate Agents, houses, especially small ones of new construction, are selling rapidly and homes for workmen are being sold as fast as they can be built.

What Seattle has been obliged to do by reason of her large influx of workers occasioned by her numerous war activities would seem to be possible in a much smaller way here in Victoria. The policy in the Sound City is to insist on a first payment of \$1,000 on all house sales, and workers taking the stand that buyers are now invariably of the class making a great deal more money than the salaried man whose earnings are very little more now than they were before the United States went into the war in a military way as well as industrially.

How the Plan Works.

Harlan Thomas, the building adviser of the bureau, has prepared a chart containing estimates from reliable contractors on a number of standardized plans for small homes, and the bureau's set price on each style of house. Several plans that have proved popular with home builders were selected and reliable contractors were requested to tender bids on them. The bureau did not take the average of all the bids received, but analyzed each one and finally set a price on each house that was 100 per cent. cost plus five per cent. overhead, plus five per cent. profit.

Quality First.

The bureau takes the stand that the plan of awarding a contract for the building of a house to the lowest bidder seldom works out satisfactorily, and it is trying to bring to the attention of the public the necessity of getting responsible contractors to do the building. "Anyone familiar with building," says J. B. Warrack, assistant to the adviser, in The Seattle Post-Intelligencer, "knows that it is possible to skip and save on materials, but this does not make for substantial construction. Our specifications call for a certain proved quality of materials throughout the building. By careful analysis we have arrived at the lowest possible cost of dependable construction."

The policy followed in Seattle and Portland has already been explained in these columns, and it is understood that one of the most successful divisions of the More Homes Bureau is the loan department, in charge of a woman fully qualified by long experience to handle this all-important branch. She interviews all inquirers seeking loans and generally recommends wire the case warrants. She states that loans have been placed in practically every reliable case and that everything possible to help the bona fide builder is being done. Those building homes for their own occupancy are favored by the loan companies since it is possible to make a better arrangement with them than with the individual who takes up the question on a more or less legitimate speculative basis.

No Apartments Here.

While there appears to be no difficulty in getting house accommodations at the moment, there is scarcely a vacant apartment in Victoria. The pinch will come as far as this city is concerned during the next six months. Present estimates indicate that at least 3,000 families will come to the city during that period, since the Foundation Company is looking forward to the employment of at least 1,500 men in each of their yards when work is in full swing. These will be added to where ships of the present contract reach the finishing stage of machinery installation.

If Victoria is to be ready for this influx of workers, upon the proper housing of whom largely depended the permanency of this city's industrial activity, there would appear to be the need for taking prompt measures now in order that very serious handicaps may be avoided at a later stage.

Action Is Necessary.

It is a known fact that there are several hundred houses within the city limits unfit for immediate habitation; but with a proper scheme of renovation on a general scale could very well be made rentable. It is pointed out that the situation demands careful foresight, particularly where new construction is contemplated. At the same time it is equally well realized that unless some sort of community plan in the matter of house accommodation is formulated, all the community spirit displayed on September 9 last will remain in its swaddling clothes state.

The Sound cities were confronted with the same problem and for a time hesitated; so much so that Seattle had to decide whether carpenters could be spared from the shipyards to build houses. So necessary was accommodation that the carpenters were spared from the yards for a limited period. If the ships' carpenters in Victoria are required to build houses at a time when the Foundation Company's programme is well under way and bidding for a record in speed of production, there will be the risk of a blow to Victoria's capacity to turn out ships rapidly, to say nothing of the added cost of house building under such conditions.

Now Is the Time.

Those who view Victoria's future with rose colored spectacles will doubtless take in the other side of the picture and advocate a practical policy calculated to prevent any hitch twelve months hence.

Historic Home of the Pembro-
tons May Be Acquired by
Commission

IDEAL SPOT FOR THE
RURAL TRAINING IDEA

Although any official announcement may be withheld for the moment, it is understood in authoritative circles that the Commission intends to convert this historic residence into an institution for the treatment of its own patients. That is to say, a limited number of discharged members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, destined to be taken care of by the commission during their period of re-education, may be aided in the process of recuperation by the double advantage of salubrious climate and incomparable geographical location. And if the information reaching The Times may be taken as authentic, the structure is to be converted into a forty bed institution at a cost of somewhere in the region of three or four thousand dollars.

Ideal Location.

In view of the fact that the scope of the Invalids' Soldiers' Commission, as part of the gigantic plan of re-habilitation, is well known, Gonzales Farm has doubtless struck the authorities as a particularly favored property for adaptation to that branch of vocational training related to agriculture, and going by the name of intensive culture, or market gardening. As is well-known the grounds represent the largest unsubdivided tract of land within the city limits, possessing soil of the richest possible quality, with altitude and slope alone making for perfect drainage.

It is understood that during the recent visit to this coast of Colonel McKelvie Bell, in company with Major A. P. Proctor, the Commission's chief medical officer, for British Columbia, subjected the property to an exhaustive inspection and were seized with the suitability of the place as ideal for the uses of the Commission, both from the curative point of view and its especial value for dovetailing agricultural education with the cure period.

Intensive Culture.

The particular appeal of Gonzales lies in the fact that in its spacious grounds could be trained those men whose cases demand the incomparable air of the island and whose outdoor life of the future may require to be directed towards the small farm, into which market gardening and the raising of poultry would very largely enter.

It has already been demonstrated that several sections of this island—totally different to any other part of the Province—are ideal for the proper and effective treatment of cases of severe shell shock. And it goes without saying that the natural surroundings of Gonzales Farm lend themselves to a course of treatment not only beneficial to the patient in the physical sense, but as a tutelage to the warrior's peace of mind by freeing him from the tediousness and comparative hopelessness experienced in more isolated, although possibly as beneficial, spots.

The patient at Gonzales may have all the solitude his case demands and yet he may know that what he regards as civilization, after his long association with the trenches, is close at hand. The same may be said of the crippled patient—and it is largely the disabled class of men who come in for treatment at the hands of the Commission—for he may look forward to the occasional attention of possessors of automobiles and a pleasurable antidote to unnatural inactivity.

Small Farm Village.

The consummation of such a proposal by the Commission will also tend to explode the plan of absolute hospital centralization on the Mainland, although treatment of patients under the Invalids' Soldiers' Commission is entirely distinct to the procedure followed before the soldier is turned over to the C. E. F. He becomes a care of the civilian organization as soon as he is discharged and is immediately given a choice of tutelage befitting his physical and mental condition; in that manner his process of rehabilitation commences.

Reference was made in these columns some time ago in which it was pointed out that the Invalids' Soldiers' Commission intended to establish its own curative establishments. More over, in view of the fact that so many of its patients are disabled warriors to whom re-education necessarily means labor of the lighter kind, Vancouver Island holds all the advantages of centralization for the Invalids' Soldiers' Commission, and it is now established in Vancouver notwithstanding.

Gonzales Farm Admirable.

In explanation of the claim it may be said that if the disabled soldier intends to take up rural industry it is already decreed by his disability that it is only into the smaller branches of agriculture that he may enter with hopes of success. And here the acquisition of Gonzales Farm by the Commission would seem to provide ideal headquarters for mixed farming tuition in British Columbia. The climate is perfect, the location is admirable and there is no reason why market gardening as taught within a stone's throw of the street railway should not only make for profitable callings for the disabled warrior but also the stimulus of intensive culture generally—to which this island is especially adapted—at the same time. The official announcement of this acquisition by the Invalids' Soldiers' Commission will be awaited with interest.

"Now what do you want?" asked the sharp-tongued woman.

"I called to see if I could sell you some bakin'-powder, ma'am," said the seedy gentleman with the untidy whiskers.

"Well, you can't sell no bakin'-powder here, and I ain't got no time to waste on peddlars, anyway."

"Come to think of it, ma'am," said the seedy gentleman, as he fastened his bag. "I wouldn't care to sell you any powder. This bakin'-powder of yours is so low in the cellar that the bread wouldn't have no chance to rise."

—Tit-Bits.

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A Special Showing of Bathrobe Velours and Flannelettes on Sale Tuesday

Bath Robe Velours—This is a heavy, warm material. Just the fabric for bath robes, in a variety of light and dark colorings, with contrasting color effects, with conventional and Indian designs; 27 inches wide. Per yard75¢

Kimona Cloths in pale blue, pink and fawn grounds with animal and bird designs. Just the material for baby's bath robe or kimona; 27 inches wide. Per yard50¢

Kimona Cloths in pretty Paisley and floral designs in a variety of colors; 27 inches wide. Per yard50¢

Scotch Winsey—The ideal fabric for ladies' and children's wear. A variety of dainty stripes, suitable for ladies' blouses; unshrinkable; 40 inches wide. Per yard75¢

Eiderdown Flannel—Heavy eiderdown flannel, the material you need for warm kimona and dressing jackets, in sky, old rose, grey, navy, cardinal and white; 54 inches wide. Yard, \$2.25

White Baby Flannel, fine quality, all wool. Per yard95¢

White Baby Flannel, fine soft finish, all wool, 29 inches wide. Per yard\$1.00

Baby Flannel, good heavy quality, all wool, 27 inches wide. Per yard\$1.25

Grey Flannel—A good shirting flannel, 27 inches wide. Per yard60¢

Grey Flannel, fine quality, 27 inches wide. Per yard75¢

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—Basement

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—Main Floor

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—Main Floor

Y. M. C. A. IS KEPT BUSY AT WILLOWS

Hut Proves Popular Rendezvous During Quarantine Period; Donations Received

"All dressed up and nowhere to go," perhaps could hardly be called the position of the men at Willows Camp yesterday, either as to their sartorial condition or the gloomy "nowhere" since there is always the Y. M. C. A.—which is no dress parade.

Owing to the present epidemic and the consequent quarantine the problem of carrying on has been rather a difficult one for the organization. Thanks, however, to the special concession by the military authorities to the Y. M. C. A. in the interests of the men, the secretary has been able to do something to lighten the days for the throng of men now in camp.

Sunday Programme.

By 10 o'clock Sunday morning the hut, swept and garnished, was open for the day's work, with men reading, writing, singing or quietly enjoying the big open fire. Literally bushels of

letters were ready for the mail by night.

In the afternoon and evening the programme was pleasantly varied by a treat of apples. The appreciation of the men was voiced in a ringing cheer when the fruit was introduced and the rapidly with which it disappeared spoke volumes.

Hot Cakes and Coffee.

Hot cakes and coffee were the feature of Saturday evening at the Hut, and the dispensing of these with the usual thriving business of distributing writing materials and selling postage stamps made a busy three hours for the willing helpers from the ranks. The secretary's time was fully taken up in getting personally acquainted with the men and their problems, this being a key to the position toward which the Y. M. C. A. aims.

Dr. Withrow's Lecture.

On Friday evening the battalion paraded in the large pavilion to hear a powerful lecture by Dr. Withrow, a member of the National Council Y. M. C. A., Toronto, on the sex problem, the lecture being accompanied by a moving picture film on the subject. This film, which has been specially prepared for use in the army and is endorsed by the Surgeon-General, is being shown in the various cantonments of Canada.

Generous Donations.

Generous contributions from friends throughout the city have done much to cheer the men and lighten the burden of their captivity.

Jellies, grapes, oranges, pears, etc., have been delivered at the camp hospitals, and with the apples furnished

by a friend, were much enjoyed by the rank and file of the men. The gift by Miss Lloyd, 1429 Richardson Street, of a very soft-toned Victrola and a number of fine records is doing its first service in the hospital wards. Magazines have come in ample supply and a sufficient number is now on hand for some little time. These are much appreciated just now and, of course, the regular Y. M. C. A. library books cannot be circulated among the patients and so are available only to the men not affected by the epidemic. This library now numbers about fifty-two hundred volumes and further additions will be welcomed now or at any other time. As a good book is read, pass it on. Any such will be promptly catalogued and put to work.

Cordial Co-operation.

The secretary would like to express his sincere appreciation of the help which has come through the ready co-operation of the camp officers and the willing services of the men from the ranks in keeping things moving in this time of stress. The absence of Sergt. Smith, assistant military secretary at the Willows, who has been ill and off duty for the past ten days has made these services the more valuable.

All the messages, phoned or otherwise, in regard to contributions have been received by the secretary and placed on file and will be dealt with as opportunity, consistent with other demands affords. The many friends who have sent such messages are asked to please accept this in lieu of individual acknowledgment.

The Military Service Committee will hold its regular weekly meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in Room A, city Y. M. C. A. Building.